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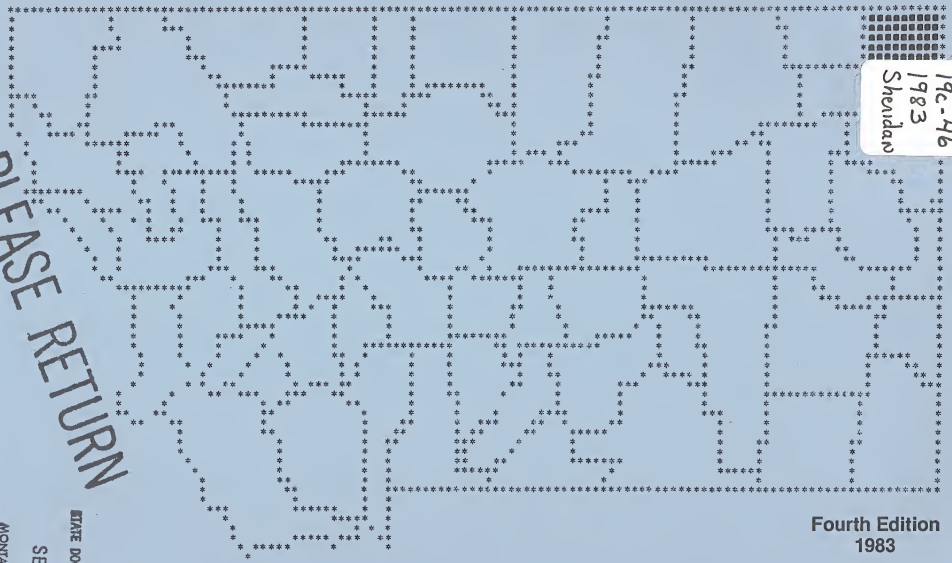

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PREFACE

THESE PROFILES CONSIST OF COLLECTIONS OF DATA ABOUT EACH OF THE 56 MONTANA COUNTIES, PRESENTED IN COMPUTER-GENERATED TABLES. STATISTICAL FACTS, SELECTED FROM GOVERNMENTAL PUBLICATIONS AND COMPUTER TAPES, ARE PRESENTED IN TABULAR FORM TO SERVE AS A CONVENIENT REFERENCE ON SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC FACTS ABOUT EACH COUNTY. EXAMPLES OF BOTH COMPUTED AND DERIVED FIGURES IN THE TABLES PROVIDE A STARTING POINT FOR ANALYSIS.

IN THIS FOURTH EDITION, AN EFFORT IS MADE TO CONDENSE OR ELIMINATE THE LESS TIMELY DATA, TO ADD NEW TABLES OF CURRENT INTEREST, AND TO BRING UP TO DATE THE CONTINUING HISTORICAL SERIES. THE PLACEMENT OF COMPARATIVE STATE DATA ADJACENT TO COUNTY DATA IS AN ADDED FEATURE OF THIS EDITION.

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AREA AND POPULATION

ITEM	1980 LAND AREA SQ.MI.	1980 PERSONS	1980 PER SQ.MI.	POPULATION PERCENT CHANGE '70 TO '80	POPULATION PERCENT CHANGE '60 TO '70	POPULATION 1970	POPULATION 1960	POPULATION 1950	POPULATION 1940
MONTANA	145,392	786,690	5.4	13.3	2.9	694,409	674,767	591,024	559,456
SHERIDAN	1,681	5,414	3.2	-6.3	-10.5	5,779	6,458	6,674	7,814

- TABLE 1.2 -
POPULATION BY RESIDENCE

ITEM	1980 PERSONS	URBAN POPULATION PERCENT OF TOTAL	URBAN POPULATION PERCENT CHANGE '70 TO '80	URBAN POPULATION PERCENT CHANGE '60 TO '70	RURAL POPULATION 1980 PERSONS	RURAL POPULATION PERCENT CHANGE '70 TO '80	RURAL POPULATION PERCENT CHANGE '60 TO '70	RURAL POPULATION 1980 PERSONS IN PLACES OF LESS THAN 2500
MONTANA	416,402	52.9	12.3	9.5	370,288	14.4	-3.7	86,592
SHERIDAN	0	0.0	...	...	5,414	-6.3	-10.5	3,297

- TABLE 1.3 -
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE

ITEM	TOTAL HOUSEHOLDS 1980	PERCENT CHANGE '70 TO '80	PERCENT CHANGE '60 TO '70	MARRIED COUPLE HOUSEHOLDS 1980	MARRIED COUPLE HOUSEHOLDS 1970	MARRIED COUPLE HOUSEHOLDS 1960	ONE-PERSON HOUSEHOLDS 1980	ONE-PERSON HOUSEHOLDS 1970	ONE-PERSON HOUSEHOLDS 1960
MONTANA	283,742	30.6	7.4	178,606	152,374	150,263	66,350	43,037	33,987
SHERIDAN	2,016	11.1	-4.4	1,372	1,352	1,493	463	317	278

SOURCE: TABLE 1.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, V.1, PC80-1-A28 NUMBER OF INHABITANTS, MONT
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TABLE 1.3 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION & HOUSING: 1980 & 1970, COMPUTER TAPES; 1960, V.1,PT.28

- TABLE 1.4 -
POPULATION BY AGE: 1980, 1970, 1960

ITEM	ALL AGES	UNDER 10 YRS.	10 TO 19 YRS.	20 TO 29 YRS.	30 TO 39 YRS.	40 TO 49 YRS.	50 TO 59 YRS.	60 TO 69 YRS.	70 TO 79 YRS.	80 YRS. AND OVER	MEDIAN AGE
1980											
MONTANA	786,690	124,693	137,161	145,534	109,454	76,688	73,920	64,290	36,841	18,109	29.0
SHERIDAN	5,414	764	856	868	592	512	658	630	338	196	33.1
1970											
MONTANA	694,409	129,312	148,964	93,724	73,940	77,397	73,901	50,463	30,678	16,030	27.1
SHERIDAN	5,779	1,004	1,257	524	568	748	740	454	264	220	31.9
1960											
MONTANA	674,767	160,150	117,809	78,460	84,502	83,141	61,827	46,255	33,142	9,481	27.6
SHERIDAN	6,458	1,527	1,145	612	800	831	567	438	435	103	29.2
PERCENT											
1980											
MONTANA	100.0	15.9	17.4	18.5	13.9	9.7	9.4	8.2	4.7	2.3	...
SHERIDAN	100.0	14.1	15.8	16.0	10.9	9.5	12.2	11.6	6.2	3.6	...
1970											
MONTANA	100.0	18.6	21.5	13.5	10.6	11.1	10.6	7.3	4.4	2.3	...
SHERIDAN	100.0	17.4	21.8	9.1	9.8	12.9	12.8	7.9	4.6	3.8	...
1960											
MONTANA	100.0	23.7	17.5	11.6	12.5	12.3	9.2	6.9	4.9	1.4	...
SHERIDAN	100.0	23.6	17.7	9.5	12.4	12.9	8.8	6.8	6.7	1.6	...

...NOT APPLICABLE

SOURCE: U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980 & 1970, COMPUTER TAPES; 1960, V.1,PT.28

- TABLE 1.5 -
COMPONENTS OF POPULATION CHANGE: 1980 AND 1970

POPULATION 1980	POPULATION 1970	CHANGE NUMBER	CHANGE PERCENT	COMPONENTS OF CHANGE (ESTIMATES) BIRTHS	DEATHS	*NET MIGRATION NUMBER	*NET MIGRATION PERCENT
5,414	5,779	-365	-6.3	774	591	-548	-9

- TABLE 1.6 -
POPULATION BY URBAN AND RURAL RESIDENCE: 1980 AND 1970

RESIDENCE	1980 NUMBER	1980 PERCENT OF TOTAL	1970 NUMBER	1970 PERCENT OF TOTAL	PERCENT CHANGE 1970 TO 1980
TOTAL POPULATION	5,414	100.0	5,779	100.0	-6.3
URBAN	0	0.0	0	0.0	...
RURAL	5,414	100.0	5,779	100.0	-6.3
IN PLACES 1000 TO 2500	2,476	45.7	2,381	41.2	4.0
IN PLACES LESS THAN 1000	821	15.2	833	14.4	-1.4
IN OTHER RURAL AREAS	2,117	39.1	2,565	44.4	-17.5

- TABLE 1.7 -
POPULATION BY RACE: 1980 AND 1970

RACE	1980 NUMBER	1980 PERCENT OF TOTAL	1970 NUMBER	1970 PERCENT OF TOTAL	PERCENT CHANGE 1970 TO 1980
TOTAL POPULATION	5,414	100.0	5,779	100.0	-6.3
WHITE	5,346	98.7	5,730	99.2	-6.7
NON-WHITE	68	1.3	49	0.8	38.8
INDIAN	38	0.7	42	0.7	-9.5
OTHER	30	0.6	7	0.1	328.6

*NET MIGRATION = NET CHANGE - BIRTHS + DEATHS

SOURCE: TABLE 1.5 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, V.1, PC80-1-A28 NUMBER OF INHABITANTS, MONTANA AND MONTANA CENSUS & ECONOMIC INFORMATION CENTER, NET MIGRATION COMPUTATION
TABLE 1.6 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION & HOUSING: 1980 & 1970 COMPUTER TAPES
TABLE 1.7 IBID

- TABLE 1.8 -
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX: 1980 AND 1970

AGE/SEX GROUP	1980 NUMBER	1980 PERCENT OF TOTAL	1970 NUMBER	1970 PERCENT OF TOTAL	PERCENT CHANGE 1970 TO 1980
TOTAL, ALL AGES	5,414	100.0	5,779	100.0	-6.3
UNDER 5	430	7.9	396	6.9	8.6
5 TO 17	1,022	18.9	1,740	30.1	-41.3
18 TO 59	2,798	51.7	2,705	46.8	3.4
60 TO 64	328	6.1	262	4.5	25.2
65 AND OVER	836	15.4	676	11.7	23.7
5 YEARS OLD	61	1.1	118	2.0	-48.3
18 YEARS OLD	96	1.8	83	1.4	15.7
UNDER 15	1,112	20.5	1,719	29.7	-35.3
MEDIAN AGE	33.1	...	31.9	...	3.8
MALE, ALL AGES	2,703	100.0	2,940	100.0	-8.1
UNDER 5	220	8.1	201	6.8	9.5
5 TO 17	495	18.3	904	30.7	-45.2
18 TO 59	1,439	53.2	1,354	46.1	6.3
60 TO 64	179	6.6	149	5.1	20.1
65 AND OVER	370	13.7	332	11.3	11.4
5 YEARS OLD	29	1.1	63	2.1	-54.0
18 YEARS OLD	49	1.8	45	1.5	8.9
UNDER 15	548	20.3	878	29.9	-37.6
MEDIAN AGE	32.0	...	31.4	...	1.9
FEMALE, ALL AGES	2,711	100.0	2,839	100.0	-4.5
UNDER 5	210	7.7	195	6.9	7.7
5 TO 17	527	19.4	836	29.4	-37.0
18 TO 59	1,359	50.1	1,351	47.6	0.6
60 TO 64	149	5.5	113	4.0	31.9
65 AND OVER	466	17.2	344	12.1	35.5
5 YEARS OLD	32	1.2	55	1.9	-41.8
18 YEARS OLD	47	1.7	38	1.3	23.7
UNDER 15	564	20.8	841	29.6	-32.9
MEDIAN AGE	35.1	...	32.4	...	8.3

...NOT APPLICABLE

SOURCE: U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980 & 1970, COMPUTER TAPES

- TABLE 1.9 -
*HOUSEHOLDS AND **FAMILIES BY TYPE: 1980 AND 1970

ITEM	1980	1970	PERCENT CHANGE 1970 TO 1980
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS	2,016	1,815	11.1
WITH PERSONS 60 YEARS AND OVER	743	NA	NA
NUMBER OF ONE-PERSON HOUSEHOLDS	463	317	46.1
WITH HOUSEHOLDER 60 YEARS AND OVER	252	NA	NA
PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD	2.63	3.15	-16.5
NUMBER OF FAMILIES	1,514	1,482	2.2
HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES	1,372	1,352	1.5
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD	96	87	10.3
PERSONS PER FAMILY	3.11	3.60	-13.6

- TABLE 1.10 -
PRELIMINARY ESTIMATES OF THE INTERCENSAL POPULATION. POPULATION PROJECTIONS: 1990 AND 2000
(STATE FIGURES SHOWN TO NEAREST THOUSAND; COUNTY FIGURES TO NEAREST HUNDRED)

ITEM	JULY 1, -- 1979	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973	1972	1971	PROJECTIONS 1990	2000
MONTANA	789,000	784,000	771,000	759,000	749,000	737,000	727,000	719,000	711,000	860,000	936,000
SHERIDAN	5,500	5,400	5,500	5,700	5,600	5,500	5,600	5,900	5,900	5,200	5,000

NA NOT AVAILABLE

*HOUSEHOLD: ALL PERSONS WHO OCCUPY A GROUP OF ROOMS OR A SINGLE ROOM, WHICH CONSTITUTES A HOUSING UNIT WHEN IT IS OCCUPIED AS SEPARATE LIVING QUARTERS

**FAMILY: HOUSEHOLD HEAD AND ONE OR MORE OTHER PERSONS LIVING IN SAME HOUSEHOLD WHO ARE RELATED TO THE HEAD

SOURCE: TABLE 1.9 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION & HOUSING: 1980 & 1970, COMPUTER TAPES
TABLE 1.10 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, UNPUBLISHED DATA. MONTANA DEPT OF ADMINISTRATION, RESEARCH & STATISTICAL SERVICES BUREAU, REVISED COUNTY POPULATION PROJECTIONS, SEPT 1981

- TABLE 2.1 -
CIVILIAN VETERANS OF ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY SERVICE BY PERIOD OF SERVICE: 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	CIVILIAN PERSONS 16 YRS & OVER	PERCENT VETERANS	WORLD WAR I	WORLD WAR II	KOREAN CONFLICT	VIETNAM ERA	MAY 1975 OR LATER ONLY	OTHER
MONTANA	580,565	18.7	2,042	38,619	17,231	33,270	3,497	13,931
SHERIDAN	4,204	13.9	10	241	123	135	17	59

- TABLE 2.2 -
CRIMINAL OFFENSES AND CRIME RATES: 1979 TO 1981
(SEVEN MAJOR INDEX CRIMES ONLY)

ITEM	1981 NO. OF OFFENSES	1981 RATE PER 1,000 PERSONS	1980 NO. OF OFFENSES	1980 RATE PER 1,000 PERSONS	1979 NO. OF OFFENSES	1979 RATE PER 1,000 PERSONS
MONTANA	35,872	45.3	36,791	46.8	34,880	44.4
SHERIDAN	80	14.6	4	0.7	8	1.5

- TABLE 2.3 -
HEALTH AND HOSPITALS: 1980

ITEM	PHYSICIANS, ACTIVE, NON-FEDERAL NUMBER	PHYSICIANS, ACTIVE, NON-FEDERAL *RATE	DENTISTS, ACTIVE, NON-FEDERAL NUMBER	DENTISTS, ACTIVE, NON-FEDERAL *RATE	NURSES, LICENSED (RN & LPN) NUMBER	NURSES, LICENSED (RN & LPN) *RATE	PRIVATE HOSPITALS NUMBER	PRIVATE HOSPITALS BEDS NUMBER	PRIVATE HOSPITALS BEDS *RATE	PRIVATE LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES NUMBER	PRIVATE LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES BEDS NUMBER	PRIVATE LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES BEDS *RATE
MONTANA	1,050	133.5	465	59.1	8,869	1,127.4	61	3,405	432.8	93	5,891	748.8
SHERIDAN	2	36.9	2	36.9	67	1,237.5	1	21	387.9	1	65	1,200.6

NA NOT AVAILABLE

*RATE PER 100,000 POPULATION

SOURCE: TABLE 2.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE
TABLE 2.2 MONTANA BOARD OF CRIME CONTROL, CRIME IN MONTANA, ANNUAL
TABLE 2.3 DEPT OF HEALTH & ENVIRONMENTAL SCI., MONTANA HEALTH DATA BOOK & MEDICAL FACILITIES INVENTORY, 1980

- TABLE 2.4 -
SELECTED VITAL STATISTICS: 1980, 1970, 1960

ITEM	NUMBER OF LIVE BIRTHS	OUT-OF-WEDLOCK BIRTHS PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS	NUMBER OF DEATHS	NUMBER OF INFANT DEATHS	NUMBER OF MARRIAGES SOLEMNIZED	NUMBER OF MARITAL TERMINATIONS
1980						
MONTANA	14,208	125.0	6,664	176	8,336	4,940
SHERIDAN	103	19.4	64	2	57	20
1970						
MONTANA	12,622	95.1	6,597	272	6,919	3,051
SHERIDAN	68	58.8	62	1	72	5
1960						
MONTANA	17,448	32.3	6,525	421	5,883	2,003
SHERIDAN	143	7.0	60	3	74	0

- TABLE 2.5 -
BIRTH RATES AND DEATH RATES: SELECTED YEARS
(BASED ON POPULATION AS OF APRIL 1 FOR 1980, 1970, 1960; JULY 1 FOR OTHER YEARS)

ITEM	BIRTHS PER 1,000 POPULATION									DEATHS PER 1,000 POPULATION								
	1981	1980	1979	1978	1977	1976	1975	1970	1960	1981	1980	1979	1978	1977	1976	1975	1970	1960
MONTANA	18.0	18.1	17.9	17.3	17.5	16.7	16.1	18.2	25.9	8.5	8.5	8.2	8.3	8.4	8.9	8.7	9.5	9.7
SHERIDAN	18.0	19.0	17.9	18.7	16.7	14.9	12.2	11.8	22.1	8.9	11.8	9.1	10.4	9.8	10.4	11.1	10.7	9.3

SOURCE: TABLE 2.4 MONTANA DEPT OF HEALTH & ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES, BUR OF RECORDS & STATISTICS, MONTANA VITAL STATISTICS (ANNUAL)
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- TABLE 2.6 -
PLACE OF BIRTH, *NATIVE POPULATION: 1980 AND 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	1980	1970
TOTAL NATIVE POPULATION	5,191	5,490
BORN IN MONTANA	3,356	3,289
BORN IN DIFFERENT STATE	1,795	2,026
PERCENT OF TOTAL	34.6	36.9
BORN ABROAD, AT SEA, ETC.	40	31
STATE OF BIRTH NOT REPORTED	...	144

- TABLE 2.7 -
LIVE BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES, AND MARITAL TERMINATIONS: 1971 TO 1981
(BIRTHS AND DEATHS BY RESIDENCE; MARRIAGES AND MARITAL TERMINATIONS BY OCCURRENCE)

YEAR	NUMBER OF LIVE BIRTHS	OUT-OF-WEDLOCK BIRTHS PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS	NUMBER OF DEATHS	NUMBER OF INFANT DEATHS	NUMBER OF MARRIAGES SOLEMNIZED	NUMBER OF MARITAL TERMINATIONS
1981	101	89.1	50	3	64	25
1980	103	19.4	64	2	57	20
1979	95	84.2	48	1	56	12
1978	97	20.6	54	0	54	7
1977	87	23.0	51	1	52	18
1976	82	122.0	57	1	61	29
1975	66	60.6	60	1	57	21
1974	76	52.6	62	2	62	15
1973	68	44.1	62	0	60	7
1972	64	78.1	63	1	78	8
1971	71	70.4	72	0	63	14

...NOT APPLICABLE

*PERSONS BORN IN THE U.S., IN THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO, IN AN OUTLYING AREA OF THE U.S., OR AT SEA

SOURCE: TABLE 2.6 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE; 1970, V.1, PT.28, MONTANA
TABLE 2.7 MONTANA DEPT OF HEALTH & ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES, BUR OF RECORDS & STATISTICS, MONTANA VITAL STATISTICS (ANNUAL)

- TABLE 2.8 -
DEATHS AND DEATH RATES BY *FOUR LEADING CAUSES: 1971 TO 1981
(RATES PER 100,000 RESIDENT POPULATION AS OF APRIL 1, 1980 AND JULY 1, OTHER YRS)

YEAR	HEART DISEASE NUMBER	HEART DISEASE RATE	CANCER NUMBER	CANCER RATE	CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE (STROKE) NUMBER	CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE (STROKE) RATE	ACCIDENTS NUMBER	ACCIDENTS RATE
1981	19	339.3	8	142.9	5	89.3	2	35.7
1980	23	424.8	9	166.2	7	129.3	7	129.3
1979	12	226.4	14	264.2	2	37.7	5	94.3
1978	17	326.9	12	230.8	5	96.2	8	153.8
1977	22	423.1	13	250.0	1	19.2	1	19.2
1976	14	254.5	15	272.7	6	109.1	6	109.1
1975	17	314.8	18	333.3	2	37.0	11	203.7
1974	28	528.3	12	226.4	3	56.6	2	37.7
1973	26	472.7	13	236.4	6	109.1	3	54.5
1972	32	542.4	8	135.6	5	84.7	5	84.7
1971	34	576.3	15	254.2	4	67.8	2	33.9

- TABLE 2.9 -
MARITAL STATUS, PERSONS 15 YEARS OLD AND OVER, BY SEX, BY AGE: 1980

ITEM	MALE AGE 15+	MALE 15-24 YRS	MALE 25-34 YRS	MALE 35-59 YRS	MALE 60 YRS & OVER	FEMALE AGE 15+	FEMALE 15-24 YRS	FEMALE 25-34 YRS	FEMALE 35-59 YRS	FEMALE 60 YRS & OVER
TOTAL PERSONS	2,155	500	412	694	549	2,147	451	337	744	615
NEVER MARRIED	597	396	92	53	56	337	269	24	24	20
MARRIED, EXCEPT SEPARATED	1,413	97	291	592	433	1,410	165	284	643	318
SEPARATED	13	2	2	3	6	9	2	2	3	2
WIDOWED	52	0	0	8	44	308	3	6	36	263
DIVORCED	80	5	27	38	10	83	12	21	38	12

*FOUR LEADING CAUSES SHOWN REPRESENT EXPERIENCE OF ENTIRE STATE; AN INDIVIDUAL COUNTY MAY HAVE OTHER CAUSES OF DEATH WHICH SHOULD APPEAR AMONG THE TOP FOUR

SOURCE: TABLE 2.8 MONTANA DEPT OF HEALTH & ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES, BUR OF RECORDS & STATISTICS, MONTANA VITAL STATISTICS (ANNUAL)
TABLE 2.9 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE

- TABLE 3.1 -
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED, PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER AND
PERSONS 25 YEARS AND OVER: 1980 AND 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

	PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER - PERCENT COMPLETING			PERSONS 25 YEARS AND OVER - PERCENT COMPLETING				
ITEM	TOTAL	11 YEARS OR LESS	12 OR MORE	16 YEARS OR MORE	TOTAL	LESS THAN 8 YEARS	11 YEARS OR LESS	12 YEARS OR MORE	16 YEARS OR MORE	MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED
1980										
MONTANA	554,887	24.6	75.4	15.2	450,862	NA	25.6	74.4	17.5	NA
SHERIDAN	3,961	30.7	69.3	12.2	3,351	NA	32.3	67.7	12.8	NA
1970										
MONTANA	440,583	38.8	61.2	10.1	364,508	8.9	40.8	59.2	11.0	12.3
SHERIDAN	3,643*	48.6	51.4	8.0	3,283	10.4	49.8	50.2	8.4	12.0

- TABLE 3.2 -
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT, YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED, AND LABOR FORCE STATUS,
PERSONS 16 TO 19 YEARS OLD: 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

				- - CIVILIAN PERSONS - -					
				- NOT ENROLLED -					
				HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES			NOT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES		
ITEM	TOTAL	PERSONS IN ARMED FORCES	- ENROLLED - AS PERCENT OF PERSONS 16 TO 19	EMPLOYED	NOT EMPLOYED	NOT IN LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYED	NOT EMPLOYED	NOT IN LABOR FORCE
MONTANA	60,644	574	71.9	6,602	1,425	1,929	2,661	1,157	2,690
SHERIDAN	410	0	73.9	43	4	20	27	2	11

NA NOT AVAILABLE
*SAMPLE TOTAL FOR PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER NOT AVAILABLE FOR 1970; 100 PERCENT DATA USED

SOURCE: TABLE 3.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980 AND 1970, COMPUTER TAPES
TABLE 3.2 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE

- TABLE 3.3 -
ENROLLMENT BY SCHOOL LEVEL AND TYPE OF SCHOOL, PERSONS 3 YEARS OLD AND OVER: 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL PERSONS 3 YEARS & OVER	PERCENT ENROLLED IN SCHOOL	*ALL REGULAR SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: NURSERY SCHOOL	KINDER-GARTEN AND ELEMENTARY (GR K-8)	HIGH SCHOOL (GR 9-12)	**COLLEGE	PRIVATE REGULAR SCHDOL ENROLLMENT: NURSERY SCHOOL	KINDER-GARTEN AND ELEMENTARY (GR K-8)	HIGH SCHOOL (GR 9-12)	**COLLEGE
MONTANA	746,883	27.7	6,327	110,406	54,096	35,875	3,388	4,936	1,757	3,298
SHERIDAN	5,149	21.1	15	635	403	34	7	0	2	0

- TABLE 3.4 -
PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT BY GRADE: 1976-77 THROUGH 1981-82

ITEM	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79	1979-80	1980-81	1981-82
	- - - - - SCHDOL YEAR - - - - -					
***FULL TIME EQUIVALENT ENROLLMENT	1,234	1,164	1,125	1,056	1,026	1,055
KINDERGARTEN	51	54	62	75	52	72
FIRST GRADE	71	61	76	73	94	79
SECOND GRADE	83	68	54	68	73	97
THIRD GRADE	75	74	67	52	70	82
FOURTH GRADE	72	78	82	70	57	75
FIFTH GRADE	94	72	74	79	79	66
SIXTH GRADE	103	86	72	75	78	80
SEVENTH GRADE	109	107	85	71	83	87
EIGHTH GRADE	116	107	112	90	68	85
NINTH GRADE	127	117	112	103	89	75
TENTH GRADE	108	123	120	107	94	84
ELEVENTH GRADE	131	110	125	112	105	99
TWELFTH GRADE	117	128	111	118	110	99
UNGRADED AND SPECIAL EDUCATION	2	6	4	D	D	11

*"REGULAR SCHOOLS" INCLUDE NURSERY OTHER THAN CUSTODIAL DAY CARE, KINDERGARTEN, ELEMENTARY, AND SCHOOLING WHICH LEADS TO A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA OR COLLEGE DEGREE. ATTENDANCE CAN BE EITHER BY DAY OR NIGHT, FULL OR PART TIME.
**INCLUDES ONLY THOSE STUDENTS WHO LIVE IN THE COUNTY, NOT STUDENTS WHOSE PARENTAL HOME IS IN THE COUNTY BUT WHO LIVE OUTSIDE THE COUNTY WHILE ATTENDING COLLEGE
***KINDERGARTEN COUNTED AS HALF TIME; ALL OTHER, FULL TIME.

SOURCE: TABLE 3.3 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE
TABLE 3.4 OFFICE OF THE SUPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, MONTANA PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT DATA, ANNUAL

- TABLE 3.5 -
PUBLIC SCHOOL PUPIL-TEACHER RATIO: 1975-76 THROUGH 1981-82

	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79	1979-80	1980-81	1981-82
*FULL TIME EQUIVALENT ENROLLMENT	1,336	1,234	1,164	1,125	1,056	1,026	1,055
KINDERGARTEN	35	51	54	62	75	52	72
ELEMENTARY (1 - 8)	812	723	653	622	578	602	651
SECONDARY (9 - 12)	497	483	478	468	440	398	357
CLASSROOM TEACHERS	81	87	85	80	72	76	77
PUPIL-TEACHER RATIO (DERIVED)	16.5	14.2	13.7	14.1	14.7	13.5	13.7

- TABLE 3.6 -
GENERAL FUND REVENUE FOR BUDGET SUPPORT OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND BUDGETED EXPENDITURE PER PUPIL, ALL DISTRICTS: 1976-77 THROUGH 1981-82

	1976-77 SCHOOL YEAR (DOLLARS)	1977-78 SCHOOL YEAR (DOLLARS)	1978-79 SCHOOL YEAR (DOLLARS)	1979-80 SCHOOL YEAR (DOLLARS)	1980-81 SCHOOL YEAR (DOLLARS)	1981-82 SCHOOL YEAR (DOLLARS)
TOTAL GENERAL FUND REVENUE	2,131,093	2,323,993	2,420,113	2,439,910	2,689,207	3,179,752
SPECIAL EDUCATION	59,848	93,655	96,741	83,129	92,667	122,091
NET GENERAL FUND REVENUE	2,071,245	2,230,338	2,323,372	2,356,781	2,596,540	3,057,661
FOUNDATION SCHEDULE	1,184,271	1,210,160	1,271,031	1,220,076	1,303,616	1,488,732
PERMISSIVE LEVY AMOUNT	296,067	302,540	317,757	305,019	325,904	372,183
VOTED LEVY AMOUNT	590,907	717,639	734,582	831,686	967,020	1,196,747
**ANB (PUPILS)	1,353	1,270	1,202	1,124	1,105	1,078
***BUDGETED EXPENDITURE PER PUPIL	1,531	1,756	1,933	2,097	2,350	2,836

*INCLUDES UNGRADED/SPECIAL EDUCATION PUPILS; KINDERGARTEN COUNTED AS HALF TIME, ALL OTHER, FULL TIME
**AVERAGE NUMBER BELONGING IN PUBLIC SCHOOL PREVIOUS YEAR
***DOES NOT INCLUDE SPECIAL EDUCATION

SOURCE: TABLE 3.5 OFFICE OF THE SUPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, MONTANA SCHOOL STATISTICS (SOME UNPUBLISHED DATA)
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- TABLE 4.1 -
HOUSING UNITS BY TYPE OF AREA: 1980
(INCLUDING VACANT SEASONAL AND MIGRATORY UNITS)

ITEM	URBAN 1980 HOUSING UNITS	URBAN PERCENT OF TOTAL	URBAN PERCENT CHANGE '70 TO '80	URBAN PERCENT CHANGE '60 TO '70	RURAL 1980 HOUSING UNITS	RURAL PERCENT CHANGE '70 TO '80	RURAL PERCENT CHANGE '60 TO '70	1980 UNITS IN PLACES OF LESS THAN 2500
MONTANA	171,389	52.2	33.6	8.3	157,076	32.8	-7.3	37,738
SHERIDAN	0	0.0	0.0	NA	2,416	15.8	NA	1,443

- TABLE 4.2 -
YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS--OCCUPANCY CHARACTERISTICS: 1980, 1970, 1960

ITEM	YR-ROUND UNITS	OCCUPIED UNITS	OWNER OCCUPIED AS PERCENT OF ALL OCCUPIED	VACANT FOR SALE ONLY	*HOMEOWNER VACANCY RATE	VACANT FOR RENT	**RENTAL VACANCY RATE
1980							
MONTANA	315,015	283,742	68.6	3,739	1.9	10,997	11.0
SHERIDAN	2,335	2,016	76.2	15	1.0	66	12.1
1970							
MONTANA	240,304	217,304	65.7	1,846	1.3	8,102	9.8
SHERIDAN	2,019	1,815	76.7	5	0.4	46	9.8
1960							
MONTANA	220,544	202,240	64.0	1,845	1.4	7,497	9.3
SHERIDAN	2,196	1,899	72.6	15	1.1	93	15.2

NA NOT AVAILABLE

*VACANT UNITS FOR SALE DIVIDED BY ALL OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS AND ALL YEAR-ROUND VACANT UNITS FOR SALE
**VACANT UNITS FOR RENT DIVIDED BY ALL RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS AND ALL YEAR-ROUND VACANT UNITS FOR RENT

SOURCE: TABLE 4.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE
TABLE 4.2 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE; 1970, COMPUTER TAPE; 1960, V.1, PT 28

- TABLE 4.3 -
YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS--STRUCTURAL CHARACTERISTICS: 1980 AND 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	YR-ROUND UNITS	ONE-UNIT STRUCTURES (PERCENT)	IN STRUCTURES WITH 2 OR MORE UNITS (PERCENT)	*MOBILE HOMES OR TRAILERS (PERCENT)	UNITS WITH MORE THAN 1 BATHROOM (PERCENT)	UNITS WITH 3 OR MORE BEDROOMS (PERCENT)	IN STRUCTURES BUILT 1970 TO 1980 (PERCENT)
1980							
MONTANA	315,098	66.2	20.8	12.9	32.8	47.9	30.7
SHERIDAN	2,326	74.9	15.1	10.0	34.4	53.3	18.0
1970							
MONTANA	240,755	74.1	18.9	7.0	20.1	43.1	...
SHERIDAN	2,027	85.8	8.5	5.6	23.6	51.7	...

- TABLE 4.4 -
OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS--SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS: 1980 AND 1970

ITEM	OCCUPIED UNITS	MEDIAN NUMBER OF ROOMS	MEDIAN NUMBER OF PERSONS PER UNIT	PERCENT LACKING COMPLETE PLUMBING	MEDIAN VALUE, SPECIFIED OWNER-OCCUPIED (DOL.)	MEDIAN CONTRACT RENT, SPECIFIED RENTER-OCCUPIED (DOL.)
1980						
MONTANA	283,742	5.0	2.3	2.3	46,500	165
SHERIDAN	2,016	5.2	2.3	2.0	35,300	157
1970						
MONTANA	217,304	4.7	2.6	6.6	14,000	71
SHERIDAN	1,815	5.0	2.6	8.4	9,700	68

...NOT APPLICABLE

*VACANT MOBILE HOMES EXCLUDED IN 1970; INCLUDED IN 1980 IF INTENDED FOR OCCUPANCY WHERE THEY STAND

SOURCE: TABLE 4.3 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE; 1970, COMPUTER TAPE
TABLE 4.4 IBID

- TABLE 4.5 -
TENURE & OCCUPANCY STATUS BY PLUMBING & UTILIZATION CHARACTERISTICS: 1980 & 1970

ITEM	TOTAL YEAR-ROUND 1980	TOTAL YEAR-ROUND 1970	TOTAL OCCUPIED 1980	TOTAL OCCUPIED 1970	RENTER OCCUPIED 1980	RENTER OCCUPIED 1970
HOUSING UNITS	2,335	2,019	2,016	1,815	480	423
WITH COMPLETE PLUMBING FOR EXCLUSIVE USE	2,215	1,771	1,975	1,662	470	379
LACKING COMPLETE PLUMBING FOR EXCLUSIVE USE	120	248	41	153	10	44
NO PLUMBING FACILITIES	79	116	19	64	5	10
WITH 1.01 OR MORE PERSONS PER ROOM, LACKING COMPLETE PLUMBING FOR EXCLUSIVE USE	...	...	2	NA	0	NA
TENURE BY PERSONS PER ROOM						
1.00 OR LESS	...	...	1,981	1,665	470	382
1.01 TO 1.50	...	...	28	116	7	29
1.51 OR MORE	...	...	7	34	3	12

- TABLE 4.6 -
TENURE & OCCUPANCY STATUS BY STRUCTURAL CHARACTERISTICS: 1980 & 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL YEAR-ROUND 1980	TOTAL YEAR-ROUND 1970	TOTAL OCCUPIED 1980	TOTAL OCCUPIED 1970	RENTER OCCUPIED 1980	RENTER OCCUPIED 1970
HOUSING UNITS	2,326	2,027	2,016	1,815	480	423
UNITS IN STRUCTURE						
1 UNIT	1,743	1,740	1,529	1,560	260	310
2 UNIT	76	29	55	25	27	0
3 AND 4 UNITS	146	55	116	39	83	39
5 OR MORE UNITS	129	89	104	77	87	63
*MOBILE HOMES OR TRAILERS, ETC.	232	114	212	114	23	11
STRUCTURES BY YEAR BUILT						
1979 TO MARCH 1980	89	...	68	...	24	...
1975 TO 1978	174	...	163	...	45	...
1970 TO 1974	156	...	147	...	13	...
1960 TO 1969	304	332	267	328	42	31
1950 TO 1959	298	259	273	226	91	31
1940 TO 1949	230	152	203	148	70	57
1939 OR EARLIER	1,075	1,284	895	1,113	195	304

NA NOT AVAILABLE
... NOT APPLICABLE

*VACANT MOBILE HOMES EXCLUDED IN 1970; INCLUDED IN 1980 IF INTENDED FOR OCCUPANCY WHERE THEY STAND

SOURCE: TABLE 4.5 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE; 1970, COMPUTER TAPE
TABLE 4.6 IBID

- TABLE 4.7 -
SPECIFIED OWNER-OCCUPIED NONCONDOMINIUM HOUSING UNITS BY VALUE: 1980
(WITH COMPLETE PLUMBING FACILITIES FOR EXCLUSIVE USE)

ITEM	TOTAL	RURAL AREA
*SPECIFIED OWNER-OCCUPIED	839	839
VALUE LESS THAN $10,000	65	65
$10,000 TO $14,999	60	60
$15,000 TO $19,999	56	56
$20,000 TO $24,999	80	80
$25,000 TO $29,999	89	89
$30,000 TO $34,999	63	63
$35,000 TO $39,999	66	66
$40,000 TO $49,999	118	118
$50,000 TO $64,999	130	130
$65,000 TO $79,999	67	67
$80,000 TO $99,999	30	30
$100,000 TO $149,999	13	13
$150,000 OR MORE	2	2
MEAN VALUE (DOL.)	39,435	39,435

- TABLE 4.8 -
SPECIFIED RENTER-OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS BY GROSS MONTHLY RENT: 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL	RURAL AREA
**SPECIFIED RENTER-OCCUPIED	400	400
***GROSS RENT LESS THAN $60	4	4
$60 TO $119	28	28
$120 TO $169	62	62
$170 TO $199	44	44
$200 TO $249	77	77
$250 TO $299	48	48
$300 TO $399	54	54
$400 OR MORE	30	30
NO CASH RENT	53	53
MEDIAN GROSS RENT (DOL.)	223	223

NA NOT AVAILABLE

*ONE-UNIT STRUCTURES ON LESS THAN 10 ACRES; EXCLUDES MOBILE HOMES & TRAILERS, & UNITS WITH AN OFFICE ON THE PROPERTY
**ALL RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS EXCEPT ONE-FAMILY HOMES ON A PROPERTY OF 10 OR MORE ACRES
***CONTRACT RENT PLUS MONTHLY COST OF UTILITIES AND FUELS, IF THESE ITEMS ARE PAID FOR BY RENTER

SOURCE: TABLE 4.7 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE
TABLE 4.8 IBID

- TABLE 4.9 -
MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER GOSTS*: 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL	RURAL AREA
**SPEGIFIED OWNER-OGGUPIED NONCONDOMINIUM HOUSING UNITS	842	NA
WITH A MORTGAGE	339	NA
LESS THAN $100	2	NA
$100 TO $149	5	NA
$150 TO $199	22	NA
$200 TO $249	47	NA
$250 TO $299	64	NA
$300 TO $399	83	NA
$400 TO $499	60	NA
$500 TO $599	23	NA
$600 TO $749	27	NA
$750 OR MORE	6	NA
MEDIAN (DOL.)	338	NA
NOT MORTGAGED	503	NA
LESS THAN $50	4	NA
$50 TO $74	18	NA
$75 TO $99	72	NA
$100 TO $124	123	NA
$125 TO $149	102	NA
$150 TO $199	111	NA
$200 TO $249	53	NA
$250 OR MORE	20	NA
MEDIAN (DOL.)	133	NA

NA NOT AVAILABLE

* "SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER GOSTS" IS THE SUM OF PAYMENTS FOR REAL ESTATE TAXES, PROPERTY INSURANGE, UTILITIES, AND REGULAR MORTGAGE PAYMENTS

** ONE-UNIT STRUGTURES ON LESS THAN 10 ACRES; EXGLUDES MOBILE HOMES AND TRAILERS, AND UNITS WITH A GOMMERCIAL OR MEDIGAL OFFIGE ON THE PROPERTY

SOURCE: TABLE 4.9 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1980, GOMPUTER TAPE

- TABLE 4.10 -
OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS BY TYPE OF FUEL USED: 1980 AND 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	1980 TOTAL	1980 PERCENT DISTRIBUTION	1970 TOTAL	1970 PERCENT DISTRIBUTION
ALL OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS	2,016	100.0	1,747	100.0
HOUSE HEATING FUEL				
*UTILITY GAS	71	3.5	0	0.0
BOTTLED, TANK, OR LP GAS	652	32.3	760	43.5
ELECTRICITY	306	15.2	58	3.3
FUEL OIL, KEROSENE, ETC.	950	47.1	813	46.5
COAL OR COKE	32	1.6	98	5.6
WOOD	5	0.2	0	0.0
OTHER FUEL	0	0.0	18	1.0
NO FUEL USED	0	0.0	0	0.0
WATER HEATING FUEL				
*UTILITY GAS	20	1.0	0	0.0
BOTTLED, TANK, OR LP GAS	368	18.3	397	22.7
ELECTRICITY	1,555	77.1	1,239	70.9
FUEL OIL, KEROSENE, ETC.	54	2.7	56	3.2
OTHER FUEL	0	0.0	18	1.0
NO FUEL USED	19	0.9	37	2.1
COOKING FUEL				
*UTILITY GAS	13	0.6	0	0.0
BOTTLED, TANK, OR LP GAS	241	12.0	152	8.7
ELECTRICITY	1,755	87.1	1,576	90.2
OTHER FUEL	0	0.0	0	0.0
NO FUEL USED	7	0.3	19	1.1

*UTILITY GAS INCLUDES "GAS FROM UNDERGROUND PIPES SERVING THE NEIGHBORHOOD."

SOURCE: TABLE 4.10 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE; 1970, COMPUTER TAPE

- TABLE 5.1 -
LABOR FORCE STATUS, PERSONS 16 YEARS AND OVER: 1980 AND 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL PERSONS AGE 16 AND OVER	LABOR FORCE	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE			FEMALES AGE 16 AND OVER	FEMALE LABOR FORCE	FEMALE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE		
			EMPLOYED	UNEMPLOYED TOTAL	UNEMPLOYED PERCENT OF CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE			EMPLOYED	UNEMPLOYED TOTAL	UNEMPLOYED PERCENT OF FEMALE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE
1980										
MONTANA	585,375	362,656	328,316	29,530	8.3	296,136	145,076	134,784	9,919	6.9
SHERIDAN	4,204	2,422	2,394	28	1.2	2,093	760	749	11	1.4
1970										
MONTANA	470,772	266,395	244,608	16,041	6.2	237,723	91,669	85,337	6,241	6.8
SHERIDAN	3,935	2,011	1,943	60	3.0	1,941	496	496	0	0.0

- TABLE 5.2 -
*DISABILITY STATUS, NONINSTITUTIONAL PERSONS 16 TO 64 YEARS: 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL PERSONS	WITH WORK DISABILITY			NO WORK DISABILITY	WITH PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION DISABILITY	NO PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION DISABILITY
		IN LABOR FORCE	NOT IN LABOR FORCE PREVENTED FROM WORKING	NOT IN LABOR FORCE NOT PREVENTED FROM WORKING			
MONTANA	497,946	19,022	16,115	5,378	457,431	5,080	492,866
SHERIDAN	3,351	81	71	24	3,175	29	3,322

*A SERIOUS "HEALTH" CONDITION THAT HAS LASTED FOR 6 MONTHS OR MORE

SOURCE: TABLE 5.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980 & 1970, COMPUTER TAPES
TABLE 5.2 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE

- TABLE 5.3 -
OCCUPATIONS BY SELECTED CATEGORIES, EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS AND OVER: 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

OCCUPATIONAL CATEGORY	TOTAL PERSONS	FEMALE PERSONS
ALL OCCUPATIONS	2,394	749
MANAGERIAL & PROFESSIONAL SPECIALTY:		
EXECUTIVE, ADMINISTRATIVE, & MANAGERIAL	203	NA
PROFESSIONAL SPECIALTY	204	NA
TECHNICAL, SALES, & ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT:		
TECHNICIANS & RELATED SUPPORT	19	NA
SALES	206	NA
ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT, INCLUDING CLERICAL	211	NA
SERVICE:		
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	1	NA
PROTECTIVE SERVICE	7	NA
SERVICE, EXCEPT PROTECTIVE & HOUSEHOLD	312	NA
FARMING, FORESTRY, & FISHING	682	NA
PRECISION PRODUCTION, CRAFT, & REPAIR	307	NA
OPERATORS, FABRICATORS, & LABORERS:		
MACHINE OPERATORS, ASSEMBLERS, & INSPECTORS	21	NA
TRANSPORTATION & MATERIAL MOVING	127	NA
HANDLERS, EQUIPMENT CLEANERS, HELPERS, & LABORERS	94	NA

NA NOT AVAILABLE

SOURCE: U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE

- TABLE 5.4 -
INDUSTRY BY SELECTED CATEGORIES, EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS AND OVER: 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

INDUSTRY ACTIVITY CATEGORY	TOTAL PERSONS	FEMALE PERSONS
ALL INDUSTRIES	2,394	749
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, FISHERIES, & MINING	894	NA
CONSTRUCTION	132	NA
MANUFACTURING:		
NONDURABLE GOODS	16	NA
DURABLE GOODS	18	NA
TRANSPORTATION	93	NA
COMMUNICATIONS & OTHER PUBLIC UTILITIES	52	NA
WHOLESALE TRADE	71	NA
RETAIL TRADE	423	NA
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	82	NA
SERVICES:		
BUSINESS & REPAIR SERVICES	36	NA
PERSONAL, ENTERTAINMENT & RECREATION SERVICES	102	NA
PROFESSIONAL & RELATED SERVICES:		
HEALTH SERVICES, INCLUDING HOSPITALS	145	NA
EDUCATIONAL SERVICES	194	NA
OTHER PROFESSIONAL & RELATED SERVICES	61	NA
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION	75	NA

NA NOT AVAILABLE

SOURCE: U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE

- TABLE 5.5 -
ANNUAL AVERAGE ESTIMATES OF THE LABOR FORCE AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATES: 1976 TO 1981
(REVISED TO 1981 BENCHMARKS)

YEAR	*LABOR FORCE TOTAL	UNEMPLOYED TOTAL	**UNEMPLOYMENT RATES COUNTY	MONTANA	U.S.
1981	3,489	45	1.3	6.9	7.6
1980	3,013	45	1.5	6.1	7.1
1979	2,873	43	1.5	5.1	5.8
1978	2,818	60	2.1	6.0	6.0
1977	2,510	71	2.8	6.4	7.0
1976	2,483	60	2.4	6.1	7.7

*PERSONS 16 YEARS AND OLDER, DEFINED AS EMPLOYED OR UNEMPLOYED, EXCLUDING MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES, INCLUDING SELF-EMPLOYED, UNPAID FAMILY WORKERS, AND DOMESTIC WORKERS

**UNEMPLOYED EXPRESSED AS PERCENTAGE OF THE LABOR FORCE

SOURCE: MONTANA DEPT OF LABOR & INDUSTRY, RESEARCH & ANALYSIS BUR, MONTANA EMPLOYMENT AND LABOR FORCE, QUARTERLY REPORT, 1ST QTR. 1982

- TABLE 5.6 -
FEMALES, AGE 16 AND OVER WITH OWN CHILDREN, BY LABOR FORCE STATUS
AND BY AGE OF CHILDREN: 1980 AND 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL FEMALES, AGE 16 & OVER WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	PERCENT IN LABOR FORCE	WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS: TOTAL	WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS: PERCENT IN LABOR FORCE	WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY: TOTAL	WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY: PERCENT IN LABOR FORCE
1980						
MONTANA	110,590	54.4	53,038	44.6	57,552	63.4
SHERIDAN	728	40.8	341	32.6	387	48.1
1970						
MONTANA	97,723	39.9	46,586	30.8	51,137	48.2
SHERIDAN	812	29.1	432	18.5	380	41.1

- TABLE 5.7 -
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT, PERCENT CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR: 1971 TO 1981

ITEM	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1971-81
MONTANA	2.5	4.7	4.1	4.0	0.5	3.8	3.4	5.6	2.4	-1.2	0.8	31.3
SHERIDAN	2.2	3.7	4.0	6.3	-0.1	3.0	-1.0	5.7	8.4	8.6	16.7	69.7

SOURCE: TABLE 5.6 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980 & 1970, COMPUTER TAPES
TABLE 5.7 BUR OF ECONOMIC ANALYSIS, U.S. DEPT OF COMMERCE, REGIONAL ECONOMIC INFORMATION SYSTEM (MAGNETIC TAPE), DERIVED

- TABLE 5.8 -
EMPLOYMENT BY TYPE AND BROAD INDUSTRIAL SOURCES: 1976 TO 1981
(FULL AND PART-TIME WAGE AND SALARY JOBS PLUS NUMBER OF PROPRIETORS)

ITEM	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT BY PLACE OF WORK	2,570	2,548	2,651	2,824	2,987	3,322
WAGE & SALARY EMPLOYMENT	1,550	1,534	1,622	1,758	1,909	2,228
PROPRIETORS' EMPLOYMENT	1,020	1,014	1,029	1,066	1,078	1,094
FARM	712	717	713	714	715	725
NON-FARM	308	297	316	352	363	369
WAGE & SALARY EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY						
FARM	158	135	136	161	154	155
NON-FARM	1,392	1,399	1,486	1,597	1,755	2,073
PRIVATE	1,041	1,058	1,142	1,275	1,422	1,713
AGRICULTURAL SERVICES, FORESTRY, FISHERIES, AND OTHER	15	18	20	21	22	24
MINING	110	117	139	151	232	307
CONSTRUCTION	27	34	42	70	69	150
MANUFACTURING	13	16	19	23	27	35
NON-DURABLE GOODS	(D)	(D)	13	14	(D)	(D)
DURABLE GOODS	(D)	(D)	(L)	(L)	(D)	(D)
TRANSPORTATION & PUBLIC UTILITIES	144	141	147	172	189	222
WHOLESALE TRADE	92	84	94	107	121	114
RETAIL TRADE	331	334	355	369	371	421
FINANCE, INSURANCE, & REAL ESTATE	53	52	53	54	55	61
SERVICES	256	262	273	308	336	379
GOVERNMENT & GOVERNMENT ENTERPRISES	351	341	344	322	333	360
FEDERAL, CIVILIAN	54	56	56	53	60	65
FEDERAL, MILITARY	44	34	33	33	33	34
STATE AND LOCAL	253	251	255	236	240	261

(D) NOT SHOWN TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION. DATA ARE INCLUDED IN TOTALS
(L) LESS THAN 10 WAGE AND SALARY JOBS

SOURCE: BUREAU OF ECONOMIC ANALYSIS, U.S. DEPT OF COMMERCE, REGIONAL ECONOMIC INFORMATION SYSTEM (MAGNETIC TAPE)

- TABLE 6.1 -
FAMILIES BY INCOME IN 1979, 1969, AND 1959
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	ALL FAMILIES	LESS THAN $5,000	$5,000-$9,999	$10,000-$14,999	$15,000-$24,999	$25,000-$49,999	$50,000 AND OVER	MEDIAN FAMILY INCOME (DOL.)	COUNTY RANK
1979									
MONTANA	207,525	14,918	29,746	34,648	67,706	52,802	7,705	18,413	...
SHERIDAN	1,542	120	224	289	524	316	69	17,270	23
1969									
MONTANA	171,812	37,870	67,867	42,564	18,440	4,159	912	8,512	...
SHERIDAN	1,509	315	567	407	171	37	12	8,605	13
1959									
MONTANA	165,777	73,467	73,260	13,790	4,008	1,252*	NA	5,403	...
SHERIDAN	1,600	904	591	82	18	5*	NA	4,550	37
PERCENT									
1979									
MONTANA	100.0	7.2	14.3	16.7	32.6	25.4	3.7	...	...
SHERIDAN	100.0	7.8	14.5	18.7	34.0	20.5	4.5	...	...
1969									
MONTANA	100.0	22.0	39.5	24.8	10.7	2.4	0.5	...	...
SHERIDAN	100.0	20.9	37.6	27.0	11.3	2.5	0.8	...	...
1959									
MONTANA	100.0	44.3	44.2	8.3	2.4	0.8*	NA	...	...
SHERIDAN	100.0	56.5	36.9	5.1	1.1	0.3*	NA	...	...

NA NOT AVAILABLE
... NOT APPLICABLE

*TABULATED AS $25,000 OR MORE IN 1959

SOURCE: U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980 & 1970, COMPUTER TAPES; 1960, V.1, PT.28

- TABLE 6.2 -
LOW INCOME STATUS OF FAMILIES AND PERSONS: 1979 AND 1969
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	FAMILIES ALL INCOME LEVELS	FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL: TOTAL	WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER AGE 6	WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER AGE 18	PERCENT WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER NO HUSBAND PRESENT	*PERSONS FOR WHOM POVERTY STATUS IS DETERMINED: ALL AGES ALL INCOME LEVELS	PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	PERCENT BELOW 125 PERCENT OF POVERTY LEVEL	AGE 65 YEARS AND OVER: TOTAL ALL INCOME LEVELS	PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
1979										
MONTANA	207,525	19,019	8,306	13,854	31.9	767,251	12.3	17.5	79,187	14.4
SHERIDAN	1,542	172	55	107	14.0	5,282	13.5	19.5	731	16.0
1969										
MONTANA	171,812	17,821	6,331	11,600	27.5	673,934	13.6	19.6	64,958	27.5
SHERIDAN	1,509	123	46	84	12.2	5,710	11.4	17.4	663	27.0

- TABLE 6.3 -
HOUSEHOLDS WITH INCOME IN 1979 BY INCOME TYPE
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	HOUSEHOLDS ALL INCOME LEVELS	MEAN INCOME (DOL.)	**WITH EARNINGS	MEAN (DOL.)	WITH INTEREST, DIVIDEND, OR NET RENTAL INCOME	MEAN (DOL.)	WITH SOCIAL SECURITY	MEAN (DOL.)	WITH PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	MEAN (DOL.)	WITH ALL OTHER INCOME	MEAN (DOL.)
MONTANA	285,034	17,994	238,920	17,759	113,770	2,822	71,133	4,013	14,256	2,120	68,608	3,633
SHERIDAN	2,035	17,904	1,762	16,493	929	4,431	599	3,827	76	1,236	197	4,426

*EXCLUDES INMATES OF INSTITUTIONS, MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES LIVING IN BARRACKS OR ON MILITARY SHIPS, COLLEGE STUDENTS LIVING IN DORMITORIES, AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS UNDER 15 YEARS (1980), 14 YEARS (1970); "UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS" INCLUDE NONRELATIVES IN FAMILY HOUSEHOLDS, PERSONS IN NONFAMILY HOUSEHOLDS, AND NONINMATES IN GROUP QUARTERS.

**INCLUDES WAGE AND SALARY, NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT, AND FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT EARNINGS.

SOURCE: TABLE 6.2 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980 & 1970, COMPUTER TAPES
TABLE 6.3 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE

- TABLE 6.4 -
*PERSONAL INCOME BY MAJOR SOURCES: 1976 TO 1981
(THOUSANDS OF CURRENT DOLLARS)

ITEM	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981
EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK	24,733	18,817	27,153	21,969	30,721	42,999
COMPONENTS OF EARNINGS						
WAGES AND SALARIES	11,770	12,763	14,286	17,203	22,407	30,998
OTHER LABOR INCOME	882	1,052	1,155	1,320	1,702	2,263
PROPRIETORS' INCOME	12,081	5,002	11,712	3,446	6,612	9,738
FARM	7,795	377	7,036	-1,917	1,606	4,304
NONFARM	4,286	4,625	4,676	5,363	5,006	5,434
EARNINGS BY INDUSTRY						
FARM	9,043	1,684	8,432	-194	3,535	6,274
NONFARM	15,690	17,133	18,721	22,163	27,186	36,725
PRIVATE	12,764	13,988	15,391	18,786	23,260	32,071
AGRICULTURAL SERVICES, FORESTRY, FISHERIES, AND OTHER	131	171	177	176	179	203
MINING	2,159	2,317	2,249	3,439	5,727	8,632
CONSTRUCTION	559	666	877	1,370	1,380	3,730
MANUFACTURING	126	170	204	255	342	500
NON-DURABLE GOODS	(D)	(D)	100	115	(D)	(D)
DURABLE GOODS	(D)	(D)	104	140	(D)	(D)
TRANSPORTATION & OTHER PUBLIC UTILITIES	2,408	2,652	3,135	3,992	5,169	6,770
WHOLESALE TRADE	1,314	1,230	1,368	1,518	1,831	2,008
RETAIL TRADE	2,439	2,553	2,740	2,896	2,984	3,604
FINANCE, INSURANCE, & REAL ESTATE	674	751	886	957	1,116	1,209
SERVICES	2,954	3,478	3,755	4,183	4,532	5,415
GOVERNMENT & GOVERNMENT ENTERPRISES	2,926	3,145	3,330	3,377	3,926	4,654
FEDERAL, CIVILIAN	612	723	748	779	984	1,184
FEDERAL, MILITARY	122	73	77	84	95	113
STATE AND LOCAL	2,192	2,349	2,505	2,514	2,847	3,357
**NET EARNINGS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE	23,778	17,756	25,978	20,793	28,772	38,563
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	8,398	9,057	10,411	13,145	16,164	19,490
TRANSFER PAYMENTS	4,224	4,658	4,930	5,603	6,554	7,588
TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE	36,400	31,471	41,319	39,541	51,490	65,641
PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME (DOLLARS)	6,419	5,702	7,625	7,204	9,498	11,720

(D) NOT SHOWN TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION. (L) LESS THAN $50,000. DATA ARE INCLUDED IN TOTALS.
*CURRENT INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES; MEASURED AFTER DEDUCTION OF PERSONAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO SOCIAL SECURITY, GOVT. RETIREMENT, AND OTHER SOCIAL INSURANCE PROGRAMS BUT BEFORE DEDUCTION OF INCOME AND OTHER PERSONAL TAXES
**TOTAL EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK, LESS PERSONAL CONTRIBUTIONS FOR SOCIAL INSURANCE, PLUS ADJUSTMENT FOR RESIDENCE

SOURCE: BUREAU OF ECONOMIC ANALYSIS, U.S. DEPT. OF COMMERCE, REGIONAL ECONOMIC INFORMATION SYSTEM (MAGNETIC TAPE)

- TABLE 6.5 -
*PERSONAL INCOME BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE: 1976 TO 1981
(THOUSANDS OF CONSTANT 1972 DOLLARS)

ITEM	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981
MONTANA	3,319,082	3,411,513	3,720,877	3,706,770	3,703,930	3,835,268
SHERIDAN	27,639	22,592	27,712	24,333	28,733	33,749

- TABLE 6.6 -
*PERSONAL INCOME IN SELECTED YEARS (CONSTANT DOLLARS); PERCENT CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR: 1971 TO 1981

ITEM	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1971-81
MONTANA	0.9	12.9	11.4	-1.7	0.6	2.4	2.8	9.1	-0.4	-0.1	3.5	47.2
SHERIDAN	-22.2	41.4	43.7	-10.2	-1.0	-18.3	-18.3	22.7	-12.2	18.1	17.5	80.3

- TABLE 6.7 -
PERSONAL INCOME IN SELECTED YEARS (CURRENT DOLLARS); PERCENT CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR: 1971 TO 1981

ITEM	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1971-81
MONTANA	5.2	17.0	17.7	8.2	8.3	7.7	8.7	16.7	8.6	10.2	12.4	196.6
SHERIDAN	-18.8	46.5	51.9	-1.1	6.6	-14.1	-13.5	31.3	-4.3	30.2	27.5	263.3

- TABLE 6.8 -
PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME, PERCENT OF NATIONAL AVERAGE: 1971 TO 1981

ITEM	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981
MONTANA	84.9	90.6	95.0	93.3	92.8	90.5	88.2	91.0	88.2	88.8	89.7
SHERIDAN	73.0	99.8	142.9	132.3	130.6	100.8	81.6	98.1	83.2	100.2	111.7

*DATA FROM TABLE 6.4 DEFLATED, USING NATIONAL IMPLICIT PRICE DEFLATOR FOR PERSONAL CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURES (INDEX, 1972 = 100), AS PUBLISHED MONTHLY IN SURVEY OF CURRENT BUSINESS, U.S. DEPT. OF COMMERCE

SOURCE: BUR OF ECONOMIC ANALYSIS, U.S. DEPT. OF COMMERCE, REGIONAL ECONOMIC INFORMATION SYS (MAGNETIC TAPE) DERIVED

- TABLE 7.1 -
SELECTED LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL FINANCES FOR COUNTY AREA: FISCAL YEAR 1976-77

ITEM	THOUSANDS OF CURRENT DOLLARS	PERCENT CHANGE 1972 TO 1977	*PER CAPITA (DOLLARS)
GENERAL REVENUE, EXCLUDING INTERLOCAL	3,980	36.5	724
INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUE	921	71.5	167
FROM FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	195	353.5	35
FROM STATE GOVERNMENT	726	47.0	132
FROM LOCAL SOURCES	3,059	28.6	556
TAXES	2,735	34.2	497
PROPERTY	2,662	35.7	484
CHARGES AND MISCELLANEOUS	324	-5.0	59
DIRECT GENERAL EXPENDITURE	3,753	51.6	682
CAPITAL OUTLAY	371	43.2	67
OTHER	3,382	52.5	615
EDUCATION SERVICES	2,592	56.7	471
SOCIAL SERVICES & INCOME MAINTENANCE:			
PUBLIC WELFARE	24	2,300.0	4
HOSPITAL AND HEALTH	20	400.0	4
HIGHWAY AND OTHER TRANSPORTATION	490	99.2	89
PUBLIC SAFETY:			
POLICE AND FIRE PROTECTION	131	31.0	24
OTHER	10	66.7	2
ENVIRONMENT AND HOUSING:			
SEWERAGE AND OTHER SANITATION	6	-73.9	1
NATURAL RESOURCES, PARKS & RECREATION	55	27.9	10
HOUSING & URBAN RENEWAL	0	...	0
GOVERNMENTAL ADMINISTRATION:			
GENERAL CONTROL	152	90.0	28
OTHER	94	20.5	17
INTEREST ON GENERAL DEBT	5	-88.1	1
OTHER AND UNALLOCABLE	174	-12.1	32
UTILITY REVENUE	80	142.4	15
UTILITY EXPENDITURE	66	83.3	12
PAYMENTS TO STATE GOVERNMENT	20	NA	NA
GENERAL DEBT OUTSTANDING	94	-86.9	17
LONG-TERM	94	-86.8	17
LOCAL SCHOOLS	63	-83.0	11
OTHER	31	-91.0	6

NA NOT AVAILABLE; ... NOT APPLICABLE
*BASED ON POPULATION ESTIMATES AS OF JULY 1, 1977

SOURCE: U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF GOVERNMENTS, 1972, 1977. COMPENDIUM OF GOVERNMENT FINANCES

- TABLE 7.2 -
FEDERAL FUNDS DISTRIBUTED BY SELECTED EXECUTIVE BRANCH AGENCIES: FISCAL YEARS 1978 TO 1980
(DOLLAR AMOUNTS IN THOUSANDS)

ITEM	1980 STATE TOTAL	1980 *COUNTY AMT.	1980 COUNTY RANK	1979 STATE TOTAL	1979 *COUNTY AMT.	1978 STATE TOTAL	1978 *COUNTY AMT.
TOTAL FEDERAL FUNDS AND GRANTS	1,802,445	12,392	33	1,753,966	16,374	1,662,926	17,970
GRANT OUTLAYS	459,886	1,041	43	408,963	1,032	371,407	913
OTHER FEDERAL OUTLAYS	1,342,559	11,351	30	1,345,003	15,341	1,291,519	17,057
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE	271,963	4,742	21	361,605	9,592	382,631	11,706
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE	9,531	12	37	15,396	0	12,078	0
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE	179,892	71	39	193,434	65	171,707	60
***DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION	54,936	65	35	...	...	...	...
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY	38,551	0		41,747	0	51,485	0
***DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES	587,620	4,868	32	...	...	...	...
***DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE	...	...	...	554,168	4,222	512,883	3,850
**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT	21,759	0		18,659	0	11,167	0
DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR	134,821	209	41	128,925	269	108,964	178
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	4,588	137		4,686	127	5,047	101
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	49,821	49	36	64,046	44	48,038	49
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	115,550	0	54	79,217	305	101,168	184
DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY	35,899	251	27	33,272	196	35,320	234
ACTION	1,118	0		1,142	0	894	0
***CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION	...	...	...	...	...	40,542	323
COMMUNITY SERVICES ADMINISTRATION	8,757	3,958		6,422	0	4,170	0
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY	24,350	0		22,371	12	7,820	0
GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION	8,827	0		8,002	0	7,183	0
***OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT	54,376	380	32	46,242	323	...	...
POSTAL SERVICE	62,082	910	16	52,964	750	48,736	820
RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD	43,939	88	41	38,008	79	35,099	75
SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION	12,645	250		4,069	0	2,960	0
VETERANS ADMINISTRATION	78,421	361	35	77,307	391	72,153	388
OTHER	3,001	0		2,284	0	2,881	0

...NOT APPLICABLE

*INCLUDES FUNDS REPORTED AT THE CITY LEVEL
**DATA FOR A NUMBER OF H.U.D. PROGRAMS WERE NOT REPORTED BY THE DEPT
***DEPT. OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, & WELFARE REDESIGNATED DEPT. OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES AND DEPT OF EDUCATION CREATED IN OCT. 1979; FUNCTIONS OF CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION TRANSFERRED TO OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT IN DEC. 1978

SOURCE: COMMUNITY SERVICES ADMIN., FEDERAL INFORMATION EXCHANGE, GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION OF FEDERAL FUNDS IN MONTANA, FISCAL YEAR (ANNUAL)

- TABLE 7.3 -
PAYMENTS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS ELIGIBLE FOR REVENUE SHARING, AUTHORIZED UNDER THE REVENUE SHARING ACT OF 1972 AS AMENDED: 1972 TO 1982

ITEM	ALL COUNTIES (DOLLARS)	COUNTY TOTAL (DOLLARS)	COUNTY GOVERNMENT (DOLLARS)	MUNICIPALITIES (DOLLARS)	INDIAN TRIBES (DOLLARS)*
PAYMENTS RECEIVED (JAN 1972 - JAN 1983)	180,860,815	1,278,730	999,299	279,431	0

- TABLE 7.4 -
PROPERTY TAX BASE, COMPONENT PERCENTAGES: 1978 TO 1982

ITEM	TOTAL TAXABLE VALUE (THOUS DOLS)	PER-CENT	LAND AND IMPROVEMENTS (PERCENT)	PERSONAL PROPERTY EXCEPT LIVESTOCK (PERCENT)	LIVESTOCK (PERCENT)	NET PROCEEDS, ROYALTIES, AND GROSS PROCEEDS (PERCENT)	UTILITIES (PERCENT)
1982							
MONTANA	2,204,492	100.0	33.6	16.0	1.4	34.1	14.9
SHERIDAN	92,393	100.0	7.7	7.0	0.3	83.6	1.4
1981							
MONTANA	2,020,631	100.0	36.9	23.3	1.7	27.1	11.0
SHERIDAN	75,350	100.0	9.4	7.8	0.4	81.1	1.4
1980							
MONTANA	1,845,009	100.0	38.9	27.6	4.5	22.1	11.4
SHERIDAN	37,201	100.0	18.4	17.7	2.1	61.6	2.3
1979							
MONTANA	1,621,952	100.0	42.3	28.9	3.8	17.3	11.5
SHERIDAN	21,747	100.0	30.6	25.7	2.7	39.5	4.1
1978							
MONTANA	1,568,167	100.0	42.8	27.8	2.8	17.7	11.7
SHERIDAN	19,395	100.0	33.6	25.2	2.1	36.5	4.7

*PRORATED BY RESERVATION INDIAN POPULATION AS OF APRIL 1980

SOURCE: TABLE 7.3 U.S. DEPT. OF THE TREASURY, OFFICE OF REVENUE SHARING, QUARTERLY PAYMENT PUBLICATIONS
TABLE 7.4 STATE DEPT. OF REVENUE, BIENNIAL REPORTS (DERIVED)

- TABLE 7.5 -
PROPERTY TAXES LEVIED FOR ALL PURPOSES: 1978 TO 1982

ITEM		1982	1981	1980	1979	1978
TOTAL LEVIED FOR STATE PURPOSES	(DOLLARS)	568,553	460,672	240,692	178,583	186,812
UNIVERSITY MILLAGE		553,407	445,402	211,275	130,497	115,807
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DEFICIENCY		0	0	1,813	11,411	0
HIGH SCHOOL DEFICIENCY		0	0	1,209	7,607	0
ELEMENTARY PERMISSIVE		0	0	0	5,463	36,090
HIGH SCHOOL PERMISSIVE		0	0	0	3,278	21,612
LIVESTOCK		15,146	15,270	26,395	20,327	13,303
TOTAL LEVIED FOR COUNTY PURPOSES	(DOLLARS)	2,902,784	1,817,777	911,594	805,974	726,175
GENERAL FUND		904,780	103,587	77,278	260,993	235,680
ROAD FUND		1,072,975	857,080	415,374	243,767	252,785
BRIDGE FUND		276,704	223,203	117,663	103,284	57,961
POOR FUND		179,967	69,832	66,765	16,874	38,640
BOND INTEREST AND SINKING		0	0	0	0	0
COUNTY FAIR		74,197	66,674	30,067	19,301	14,497
COUNTY LIBRARY		55,340	46,363	45,856	34,526	28,213
AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE		0	0	0	0	0
HOSPITAL		5,770	14,966	65,970	57,641	52,208
PLANNING		1,842	32,189	0	0	0
HEALTH AND SANITARY		0	0	0	0	0
AIRPORT		9,223	8,014	10,860	4,350	4,056
OTHER		321,986	395,869	81,761	65,238	42,135
TOTAL LEVIED FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES	(DOLLARS)	5,048,017	4,698,206	2,582,362	1,682,482	1,629,558
ELEMENTARY COUNTY-WIDE		2,493,823	1,951,339	1,068,269	641,562	581,143
HIGH SCHOOL COUNTY-WIDE		1,625,216	1,287,625	749,323	482,102	427,581
DISTRICT SCHOOL		928,978	1,459,242	764,770	558,818	620,834
TOTAL LEVIED FOR DISTRICTS AND MISC	(DOLLARS)	1,613,433	934,798	823,032	543,906	603,662
*HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT		1,194,125	824,194	743,611	445,702	472,560
FIRE DISTRICT (INCLUDING FOREST FIRES)		263,567	31,374	52,808	22,982	11,599
MISCELLANEOUS		155,741	79,230	26,613	75,222	119,503
TOTAL LEVIED FOR CITIES AND TOWNS	(DOLLARS)	312,902	334,923	319,442	242,094	227,620
GENERAL		272,523	302,779	274,768	210,976	195,028
SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT		40,379	32,144	44,674	31,118	32,592
GRAND TOTAL, ALL TAXES FOR ALL PURPOSES	(DOLLARS)	10,445,689	8,246,376	4,877,122	3,453,039	3,373,827

*INCLUDES VO-TECH AND JUNIOR COLLEGE LEVIES

SOURCE: STATE DEPT. OF REVENUE, BIENNIAL REPORTS

- TABLE 8.1 -
SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS: DECEMBER 1975 AND DECEMBER 1980

	- BENEFICIARIES BY TYPE -				- AMOUNT OF MONTHLY CASH BENEFITS PAID -				
	TOTAL	RETIRED WORKER	DISABLED WORKER	WIDOW, WIDOWER, OR PARENT	CHILDREN AND/OR SPOUSE	TOTAL ($1,000)	RETIRED WORKER ($1,000)	DISABLED WORKER ($1,000)	WIDOW, WIDOWER, OR PARENT ($1,000)	CHILDREN AND/OR SPOUSE ($1,000)
DEC 1980										
MONTANA	119,496	66,397	8,565	16,025	28,509	35,483	22,101	3,219	4,888	5,275
SHERIDAN	1,054	615	37	167	235	322	208	13	53	48
DEC 1975										
MONTANA	108,746	56,963	7,835	14,265	29,683	19,165	11,464	1,764	2,689	3,248
SHERIDAN	1,013	552	36	154	271	180	111	7	30	32

- TABLE 8.2 -
*HEALTH INSURANCE FOR THE AGED AND DISABLED (MEDICARE): 1976 AND 1981

	- NUMBER OF PERSONS ENROLLED (JULY 1) -			- AMOUNT REIMBURSED (CALENDAR YEAR) -		
	HOSPITAL AND/OR MEDICAL INSURANCE	HOSPITAL INSURANCE	SUPPLEMENTARY MEDICAL INSURANCE	HOSPITAL AND/OR MEDICAL INSURANCE (DOLLARS)	HOSPITAL INSURANCE (DOLLARS)	SUPPLEMENTARY MEDICAL INSURANCE (DOLLARS)
1981						
MONTANA	96,605	95,802	94,102	111,549,901	77,132,208	34,417,693
SHERIDAN	939	932	917	707,213	520,487	186,726
1976						
MONTANA	85,263	84,596	82,805	46,730,377	33,853,902	12,876,475
SHERIDAN	822	818	805	353,311	273,963	79,348

*DATA FOR WHICH COUNTY IS KNOWN; DATA FOR "UNKNOWN" COUNTIES INCLUDED IN STATE TOTALS

SOURCE: TABLE 8.1 SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (FORMERLY HEW), TABLES A AND B (UNPUBLISHED)
TABLE 8.2 HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, MEDICARE: REIMBURSEMENT BY STATE AND COUNTY (SOME UNPUBLISHED)

- TABLE 8.3 -
SELECTED PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS:
FISCAL YEARS 1977, 1981, 1982

	PUBLIC ASSISTANCE **ALL PROGRAMS TOTAL PAYMENTS (DOLLARS)	***AFDC TOTAL PAYMENTS (DOL.)	***AFDC AVERAGE PAYMENT (DOL.)	MEDICAID TOTAL PAYMENTS (DOL.)	MEDICAID AVERAGE PAYMENT (DOL.)	FOOD STAMP TOTAL PAYMENTS (DOL.)	FOOD STAMP AVERAGE PAYMENT (DOL.)
1982							
*MONTANA	125,831,126	18,455,938	253	74,837,496	334	23,322,187	110
SHERIDAN	373,821	30,260	214	275,249	329	41,415	65
1981							
*MONTANA	119,810,331	18,950,287	223	70,912,909	299	21,869,547	105
SHERIDAN	365,945	51,170	186	262,782	285	47,454	71
1977							
*MONTANA	73,307,917	12,284,781	166	40,040,652	199	8,819,287	75
SHERIDAN	NA	38,899	124	172,323	202	19,742	50

NA NOT AVAILABLE

*STATE DATA INCLUDES INSTITUTIONS AND UNSPECIFIED COUNTIES
**PROGRAMS NOT SHOWN INCLUDE GENERAL ASSISTANCE, COUNTY MEDICAL, TRANSIENT RELIEF, BURIALS, AND FOSTER CARE
***AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN

SOURCE: STATE DEPT. OF SOCIAL AND REHABILITATION SERVICES, BUR OF STATISTICS AND RESEARCH, STATISTICAL REPORTS
STATE FISCAL YEAR 1982, STATE FISCAL YEAR 1981, AND SOME UNPUBLISHED.

- TABLE 8.4 -
OLD-AGE, SURVIVORS, DISABILITY, AND HEALTH INSURANCE BENEFICIARIES BY TYPE, AGE, AND SEX OF BENEFICIARIES: END OF DECEMBER 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980

SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFICIARIES	END OF DEC. 1977	END OF DEC. 1978	END OF DEC. 1979	END OF DEC. 1980
TOTAL BENEFICIARIES IN CURRENT PAYMENT STATUS	1,075	1,034	1,071	1,054
RETIRED WORKERS	601	572	600	615
DISABLED WORKERS	38	37	39	37
SPOUSES OF RETIRED OR DISABLED WORKERS	145	143	148	144
CHILDREN OF RETIRED, DISABLED, OR DECEASED WORKERS	126	115	110	91
WIDOWS, WIDOWERS, OR PARENTS	165	167	174	167
BENEFICIARIES BY AGE GROUP				
UNDER AGE 65	308	272	276	NA
AGE 65 TO 71	324	310	337	NA
AGE 72 AND OVER	443	452	458	NA
AGE 62 AND OVER	NA	NA	NA	917
ADULT BENEFICIARIES BY SEX				
MALE	417	393	414	403*
FEMALE	532	526	547	514*

NA NOT AVAILABLE

*AGE/SEX DATA FOR 1980 AVAILABLE FOR PERSONS AGE 62 AND OVER ONLY

SOURCE: SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (FORMERLY HEW), TABLE A (UNPUBLISHED)

- TABLE 8.5 -
OLD-AGE, SURVIVORS, DISABILITY, AND HEALTH INSURANCE MONTHLY CASH BENEFITS BY TYPE, AGE, AND SEX OF BENEFICIARIES: END OF DECEMBER 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980

ITEM	END OF DEC. 1977 ($1,000)	END OF DEC. 1978 ($1,000)	END OF DEC. 1979 ($1,000)	END OF DEC. 1980 ($1,000)
TOTAL MONTHLY CASH BENEFITS PAID	233	239	278	322
RETIRED WORKERS	147	149	175	208
DISABLED WORKERS	9	10	11	13
SPOUSES OF RETIRED OR DISABLED WORKERS	20	21	24	28
CHILDREN OF RETIRED, DISABLED, OR DECEASED WORKERS	19	18	20	20
WIDOWS, WIDOWERS, OR PARENTS	37	41	48	53
MONTHLY CASH BENEFITS BY BENEFICIARY AGE GROUP				
UNDER AGE 65	56	52	59	NA
AGE 65 AND OVER	177	187	220	NA
AGE 62 AND OVER	NA	NA	NA	287
MONTHLY CASH BENEFITS BY SEX OF ADULT BENEFICIARIES				
MALE	114	115	135	152*
FEMALE	99	106	123	135*

NA NOT AVAILABLE

*BENEFITS PAID IN 1980 TO BENEFICIARIES BY SEX AVAILABLE FOR PERSONS AGE 62 AND OVER ONLY

SOURCE: SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (FORMERLY HEW), TABLE B (UNPUBLISHED)

- TABLE 8.6 -

*ENROLLMENT AND REIMBURSEMENT FOR HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL INSURANCE (MEDICARE), PERSONS AGE 65 AND OVER, AND DISABLED BENEFICIARIES: 1976 TO 1981

ITEM	HOSPITAL AND/OR MEDICAL INSURANCE: NUMBER ENROLLED (JULY 1)	HOSPITAL AND/OR MEDICAL INSURANCE: AMOUNT REIMBURSED (DOLLARS)	HOSPITAL: NUMBER ENROLLED (JULY 1)	HOSPITAL: AMOUNT REIMBURSED (DOLLARS)	SUPPLEMENTAL MEDICAL INSURANCE: NUMBER ENROLLED (JULY 1)	SUPPLEMENTAL MEDICAL INSURANCE: AMOUNT REIMBURSED (DOLLARS)
PERSONS AGE 65 AND OVER						
CALENDAR YEAR 1981	893	675,610	886	492,838	874	182,772
1980	865	730,747	858	559,731	847	171,016
1979	827	474,751	818	366,287	806	108,464
1978	802	413,210	797	310,417	787	102,793
1977	794	330,545	789	243,202	775	87,343
1976	776	333,336	772	257,607	762	75,729
DISABILITY BENEFICIARIES						
CALENDAR YEAR 1981	46	31,603	46	27,649	43	3,954
1980	47	44,347	47	35,905	41	8,442
1979	47	28,082	47	21,463	43	6,619
1978	42	25,134	42	20,051	38	5,083
1977	45	17,160	45	10,801	40	6,359
1976	46	19,975	46	16,356	43	3,619

- TABLE 8.7 -

**SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME PROGRAM: DECEMBER 1979, 1980, 1981

	RECIPIENTS: TOTAL	RECIPIENTS: AGED	RECIPIENTS: BLIND AND DISABLED	PAYMENTS FOR MONTH (IN THOUSANDS): TOTAL	PAYMENTS FOR MONTH (IN THOUSANDS): AGED	PAYMENTS FOR MONTH (IN THOUSANDS): BLIND AND DISABLED
DECEMBER 1981	50	18	32	8	2	6
DECEMBER 1980	50	20	30	8	2	6
DECEMBER 1979	48	22	26	7	2	5

*DATA FOR WHICH COUNTY IS KNOWN; DATA FOR "UNKNOWN" COUNTIES INCLUDED IN STATE TOTALS
**SSI ESTABLISHED BY 1972 AMENDMENTS TO SOCIAL SECURITY ACT. PROGRAM PROVIDES MINIMUM INCOME FOR THE AGED, BLIND, AND DISABLED

SOURCE: TABLE 8.7 HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, MEDICARE: REIMBURSEMENT BY STATE AND COUNTY (SOME UNPUBLISHED)
TABLE 8.8 SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME, STATE AND COUNTY DATA, DEC. (YEAR)

- TABLE 8.8 -
AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN (AFDC) AND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE (MEDICAID)
STATE FISCAL YEARS ENDING JUNE 1977 TO JUNE 1982

FISCAL YEAR	AFDC TOTAL PAYMENTS FISCAL YEAR (DOLLARS)	AFDC AVERAGE NO. CASES PER MONTH	AFDC AVERAGE MONTHLY PAYMENT (DOLLARS)	MEDICAID TOTAL PAYMENTS FISCAL YEAR (DOLLARS)	MEDICAID AVERAGE NO. CASES PER MONTH	MEDICAID AVERAGE MONTHLY PAYMENT (DOLLARS)
1982	30,260	13	214	275,249	72	329
1981	51,170	23	186	262,782	75	285
1980	41,133	20	169	163,365	62	218
1979	30,133	17	154	151,263	59	217
1978	30,417	21	122	161,059	69	196
1977	38,899	26	124	172,323	72	202

- TABLE 8.9 -
HOUSEHOLDS RECEIVING FOOD STAMPS AND VALUE OF STAMPS:
STATE FISCAL YEARS ENDING JUNE 1977 TO JUNE 1982

FISCAL YEAR	AVERAGE NO. PUBLIC ASSISTANCE HOUSEHOLD CASES PER MONTH	AVERAGE NO. NON-ASSISTANCE HOUSEHOLD CASES PER MONTH	AVERAGE MONTHLY PAYMENT PER CASE (DOLLARS)	TOTAL PAYMENTS FISCAL YEAR (DOLLARS)
1982	6	47	65	41,415
1981	11	45	71	47,454
1980	8	31	62	29,325
1979	4	23	49	15,425
1978	5	27	46	17,467
1977	7	26	50	19,742

*DATA FOR WHICH COUNTY BREAKDOWN WAS PROVIDED

SOURCE: TABLE 8.8 STATE DEPT. OF SOCIAL AND REHABILITATION SERVICES, BUR OF STATISTICS AND RESEARCH, STATISTICAL REPORTS STATE FISCAL YEAR 1982, STATE FISCAL YEAR 1981, AND SOME UNPUBLISHED.
TABLE 8.9 IBID.

- TABLE 9.1 -
ESTIMATES OF THE NUMBER OF FARM RESIDENTS: 1980 AND 1970
(BASED ON 1970 DEFINITION OF FARM*)

ITEM	FARM POPULATION 1980	FARM POPULATION 1970	PERCENT OF THE TOTAL POPULATION 1980	PERCENT OF THE TOTAL POPULATION 1970
MONTANA	67,546	82,129	8.6	11.8
SHERIDAN	1,435	1,964	26.5	34.0

- TABLE 9.2 -
**FARMS, LAND IN FARMS, AND VALUE OF FARMS: 1978 AND 1974

ITEM	***ALL FARMS TOTAL	***ALL FARMS ACRES	PERCENT OF LAND AREA	FARMS WITH SALES OF $2,500 OR MORE TOTAL	FARMS WITH SALES OF $2,500 OR MORE ACRES	****VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS ***ALL FARMS AVG. PER FARM (DOL.)	****VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS ***ALL FARMS AVG. PER ACRE (DOL.)	****VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS FARMS WITH SALES OF $2,500 OR MORE AVG. PER FARM (DOL.)	****VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS FARMS WITH SALES OF $2,500 OR MORE AVG. PER ACRE (DOL.)
1978									
MONTANA	24,469	62,269,824	66.8	20,956	56,489,150	501,192	196	538,873	200
SHERIDAN	642	1,082,999	99.9	612	1,018,381	411,158	228	414,758	235
1974									
MONTANA	23,324	62,158,351	66.7	20,177	56,731,193	298,070	112	318,305	113
SHERIDAN	675	1,124,172	.....	657	1,075,297	238,624	143	241,085	147

*IN 1970 A FARM WAS DEFINED AS A PLACE IN RURAL TERRITORY WITH AT LEAST $250 IN SALES OF FARM PRODUCTS, PLUS ADDITIONAL PLACES WITH 10 OR MORE ACRES AND $50 OR MORE IN SALES OF FARM PRODUCTS
**CURRENT DEFINITION OF FARM IS ANY PLACE FROM WHICH $1,000 OR MORE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS WERE SOLD OR NORMALLY WOULD HAVE BEEN SOLD DURING THE CENSUS YEAR; FOR 1974 SALES OF FOREST PRODUCTS WERE INCLUDED
***INCLUDES ABNORMAL FARMS (INSTITUTIONAL FARMS, EXPERIMENTAL & RESEARCH FARMS, AND INDIAN RESERVATIONS
****1978 DATA BASED ON A SAMPLE OF FARMS

SOURCE: TABLE 9.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE; 1970, SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT PC(S1)-27
TABLE 9.2 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, 1978 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE, V.1, STATE & COUNTY DATA, PT 26 MONTANA

- TABLE 9.3 -
FARMS BY MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD: 1978 AND 1974

ITEM	ALL FARMS	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD ($1,000)	*FARMS WITH SALES OF -- $100,000 OR MORE (NUMBER)	$40,000 TO $99,999 (NUMBER)	$20,000 TO $39,999 (NUMBER)	$10,000 TO $19,999 (NUMBER)	$5,000 TO $9,999 (NUMBER)	$2,500 TO $4,999 (NUMBER)	LESS THAN $2,500 (NUMBER)
1978									
MONTANA	24,469	1,184,597	2,727	5,697	4,505	3,388	2,604	2,035	3,400
SHERIDAN	642	26,214	43	189	201	91	58	30	28
1974									
MONTANA	23,324	1,033,239**	2,142	5,358	4,591	3,616	2,520	1,655	3,340
SHERIDAN	675	29,236**	52	208	188	133	54	21	17

- TABLE 9.4 -
LAND USE, FARMS WITH SALES OF $2,500 OR MORE: 1978 AND 1974

ITEM	CROPLAND ACRES	CROPLAND PERCENT HARVESTED	WOODLAND (ACRES)	PASTURELAND AND RANGELAND (ACRES)	OTHER LAND (ACRES)	PASTURELAND, ALL TYPES (ACRES)	IRRIGATED LAND (ACRES)	LAND SET ASIDE IN FED. FARM PROGRAMS (ACRES)
1978								
MONTANA	16,056,893	54	1,412,941	37,908,171	1,111,145	40,134,918	2,029,904	791,167
SHERIDAN	695,496	50	(D)	292,226	(D)	318,650	(D)	51,963
1974								
MONTANA	15,257,374	55	1,511,931	38,989,905	971,983	41,177,450	1,717,764	...
SHERIDAN	681,068	53	4,210	356,904	33,115	374,286	1,385	...

... NOT APPLICABLE
(D) NOT SHOWN TO AVOID DISCLOSURE
*EXCLUDES ABNORMAL FARMS
**1974 DATA INCLUDES SALES OF FOREST PRODUCTS

SOURCE: TABLE 9.3 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, 1978 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE, V.1, STATE & COUNTY DATA, PT 26 MONTANA
TABLE 9.4 IBID.

- TABLE 9.5 -
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES; FARMS WITH SALES OF $2,500 OR MORE: 1978
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE OF FARMS)

ITEM	LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PURCHASED EXPENSES		FEED FOR LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY EXPENSES		COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER EXPENSES		HIRED FARM LABOR EXPENSES		ENERGY AND PETROLEUM PRODUCTS EXPENSES	
	*FARMS	($1,000)	*FARMS	($1,000)	*FARMS	($1,000)	*FARMS	($1,000)	*FARMS	($1,000)
MONTANA	8,808	155,897	14,243	108,779	11,938	64,701	10,768	69,877	20,984	88,868
SHERIDAN	123	648	299	740	261	978	348	(D)	618	2,986

- TABLE 9.6 -
FARM OPERATORS - CHARACTERISTICS AND TENURE, AND TYPE OF ORGANIZATION: 1978
(FARMS WITH SALES OF $2,500 OR MORE)

ITEM	NUMBER	AVERAGE AGE	PRINCIPAL OCCUPATION OF FARMING (PERCENT)	FULL OWNER OF FARM OPERATED (PERCENT)	TYPE OF FARM ORGANIZATION			
					INDIVIDUAL OR FAMILY	PARTNERSHIP	CORPORATION	OTHER
MONTANA	20,956	50.0	77	42	16,664	2,219	1,994	79
SHERIDAN	612	50.5	89	32	502	53	53	4

- TABLE 9.7 -
ESTIMATES OF GROSS INCOME OF ALL FARM OPERATORS: 1981, 1980, 1979

ITEM		1981	COUNTY RANK	1980	1979
TOTAL CASH RECEIPTS AND OTHER INCOME	($1,000)	46,492	14	38,377	33,784
CASH RECEIPTS FROM MARKETINGS	($1,000)	38,587	15	31,297	28,773
CROPS		34,454	7	26,424	23,496
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS		4,133	49	4,873	5,277
OTHER INCOME	($1,000)	7,905	9	7,080	5,011
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS		3,005	9	2,783	1,063
IMPUTED INCOME AND RENT RECEIVED		4,900	16	4,297	3,948

*NUMBER OF FARMS REPORTING

SOURCE: TABLE 9.5 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, 1978 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE, V.1, STATE & COUNTY DATA, PT 26 MONTANA
TABLE 9.6 IBID.
TABLE 9.7 BUR OF ECONOMIC ANALYSIS, U.S. DEPT. OF COMMERCE, REGIONAL ECONOMIC INFORMATION SYSTEM (MAG. TAPE)

- TABLE 9.8 -
COUNTY RANK IN THE STATE'S AGRICULTURE: 1981, 1980, 1979

ITEM		1981	RANK	1980	RANK	1979	RANK
LIVESTOCK INVENTORY							
ALL CATTLE AND CALVES	(JAN. 1)	22,300	46	24,100	43	23,300	46
STOCK SHEEP AND LAMBS	(JAN. 1)	2,300	41	1,800	42	2,300	41
HOGS AND PIGS	(DEC. 1)	NA	...	3,500	27	3,800	22
CHICKENS	(DEC. 1)	NA	...	3,000	25	2,800	26
CROP PRODUCTION							
ALL WHEAT	(BUSHELS)	7,264,200	7	4,989,100	8	6,403,200	3
WINTER WHEAT		85,900	47	14,000	50	72,800	46
SPRING WHEAT EXCEPT DURUM		2,052,200	13	1,158,100	17	2,183,200	11
BARLEY	(BUSHELS)	433,200	30	72,800	46	381,500	27
OATS	(BUSHELS)	272,000	3	42,800	31	54,000	38
ALL HAY	(TONS)	36,000	45	25,400	47	48,200	39
SUGARBEETS	(TONS)	0	...	0	...	0	...

- TABLE 9.9 -
TAXABLE VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL LAND AND IMPROVEMENTS: 1982, 1981, 1980, 1979

ITEM	1982 TAXABLE VALUE ($1,000)	COUNTY RANK	1981 TAXABLE VALUE ($1,000)	1980 TAXABLE VALUE ($1,000)	1979 TAXABLE VALUE ($1,000)
AGRICULTURAL LAND	3,504,952	14	3,511,739	3,508,366	3,510,222
IRRIGATED	0	...	0	0	0
NON-IRRIGATED	3,078,752	10	3,071,602	3,090,517	3,086,428
GRAZING LAND	393,563	40	408,113	385,948	392,370
ORCHARD LAND	0	...	0	0	0
WILD HAY LAND	32,637	41	32,024	31,901	31,424
TIMBERLAND	0	...	0	0	0
IMPROVEMENTS	1,507,240	12	1,326,113	1,281,998	1,275,518

NA NOT AVAILABLE
... NOT APPLICABLE

SOURCE: TABLE 9.8 MONTANA AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS, V. XVIII AND V. XIX, U.S.D.A. AND MONTANA DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE; COMPILED BY MONTANA CROP & LIVESTOCK REPORTING SERVICE
TABLE 9.9 STATE DEPT. OF REVENUE, BIENNIAL REPORTS (SOME UNPUBLISHED)

- TABLE 10.1 -
RETAIL TRADE SUMMARY: 1977 AND 1972

ITEM	*NUMBER	- - - ALL ESTABLISHMENTS - - - **SALES ($1,000)	UNINCORPORATED BUSINESSES: SOLE PROPRIETOR- SHIPS (NUMBER)	PARTNER- SHIPS (NUMBER)	- - - - ESTABLISHMENTS WITH PAYROLL - - - - *NUMBER	**SALES ($1,000)	COUNTY RANK	- PAYROLL - ENTIRE YEAR ($1,000)	AS PERCENT OF SALES	PAID EMPLOYEES, FOR WEEK INCLUDING MAR. 12 (NUMBER)
1977										
MONTANA	8,880	2,847,520	5,280	919	6,348	2,735,656	...	315,255	11.5	49,851
SHERIDAN	78	15,779	50	13	61	14,354	30	1,807	12.6	360
1972										
MONTANA	8,824	1,613,941	4,588	736	6,100	1,544,834	...	181,196	11.7	38,636
SHERIDAN	99	10,416	46	11	69	9,869	27	1,070	10.8	302

- TABLE 10.2 -
RETAIL TRADE ESTABLISHMENTS AND SALES, BY KIND OF BUSINESS: 1977 AND 1972

ITEM	- - - - - 1977 - - - - - ALL ESTABLISH- MENTS (NUMBER)	CURRENT DOL. SALES ($1,000)	***CONSTANT 1972 DOL. SALES ($1,000)	**% CHANGE '72 TO '77 CONSTANT DOLS.	- - 1972 - - ALL ESTABLISH- MENTS (NUMBER)	**SALES ($1,000)
*TOTAL ESTABLISHMENTS	78	15,779	11,327	8.7	99	10,416
BUILDING MATERIALS, HARDWARE, GARDEN SUPPLY & MOBILE HOME DEALERS	8	2,383	1,711	41.9	7	1,206
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP STORES	2	(D)	(D)	(D)	3	(D)
FOOD STORES	6	2,682	1,925	-22.3	9	2,477
AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS	2	(D)	(D)	(D)	4	691
GASOLINE SERVICE STATIONS	8	2,836	2,036	61.3	10	1,262
APPAREL & ACCESSORY STORES	8	1,569	1,126	68.6	6	668
FURNITURE, HOME FURNISHINGS, & EQUIPMENT STORES	5	717	515	(D)	4	(D)
EATING & DRINKING PLACES	25	2,550	1,831	9.5	29	1,672
DRUG & PROPRIETARY STORES	4	(D)	(D)	(D)	3	369
MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL STORES	10	869	624	-13.3	24	720

(D) WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSURE
*EXCLUDES NONEMPLOYER DIRECT SELLERS
**SALES TAXES AND FINANCE CHARGES INCLUDED IN 1972 BUT NOT IN 1977
***1977 DOLLAR SALES DEFLATED USING IMPLICIT PRICE DEFLATOR FOR PERSONAL CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURES (INDEX, 1972 = 100)
SOURCE: TABLE 10.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, 1972 AND 1977 CENSUSES OF RETAIL TRADE, AREA SERIES, MONTANA
TABLE 10.2

- TABLE 10.3 -
WHOLESALE TRADE SUMMARY: 1977 AND 1972

ITEM	*ALL TYPES OF OPERATION: ALL ESTABLISHMENTS (NUMBER)	**SALES ($1,000)	PAYROLL, ENTIRE YEAR ($1,000)	PAID EMPLOYEES, FOR WEEK INCLUDING MAR. 12 (NUMBER)	MERCHANT WHOLESALERS (NUMBER)	**SALES ($1,000)	OTHER TYPES OF OPERATION (NUMBER)	**SALES ($1,000)
1977								
MONTANA	1,815	2,968,857	162,348	14,176	1,512	2,019,025	303	949,832
SHERIDAN	22	(D)	930	90	19	(D)	3	(D)
1972								
MONTANA	1,796	1,573,097	92,250	12,555	1,409	1,070,173	387	502,924
SHERIDAN	32	14,088	577	99	29	13,620	3	468

- TABLE 10.4 -
SELECTED SERVICE INDUSTRIES SUMMARY: 1977 AND 1972

ITEM	- - - ALL ESTABLISHMENTS - - - NUMBER	RECEIPTS ($1,000)	UNINCORPORATED BUSINESSES: SOLE PROPRIETORSHIPS (NUMBER)	PARTNERSHIPS (NUMBER)	- - - - ESTABLISHMENTS WITH PAYROLL - - - - NUMBER	RECEIPTS ($1,000)	COUNTY RANK	- PAYROLL - ENTIRE YEAR ($1,000)	AS PERCENT OF RECEIPTS	PAID EMPLOYEES, FOR WEEK INCLUDING MAR. 12 (NUMBER)
1977										
MONTANA	8,036	448,994	6,454	627	3,000	386,154	...	114,392	29.6	17,846
SHERIDAN	37	1,534	31	2	19	1,148	28	237	20.6	55
1972										
MONTANA	6,778	235,844	4,872	468	2,789	198,806	...	59,483	29.9	12,928
SHERIDAN	42	837	29	2	17	555	33	125	22.5	35

(D) WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSURE
*INCLUDES MERCHANT WHOLESALERS, MANUFACTURERS' SALES BRANCHES & OFFICES, AND AGENTS, BROKERS, & COMMISSION MERCHANTS
**SALES TAXES AND FINANCE CHARGES INCLUDED IN 1972 BUT NOT IN 1977

SOURCE: TABLE 10.3 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, 1972 AND 1977 CENSUSES OF WHOLESALE TRADE, AREA SERIES, MONTANA
TABLE 10.4 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, 1972 AND 1977 CENSUSES OF SERVICE INDUSTRIES, AREA SERIES, MONTANA

- TABLE 10.5 -
SELECTED SERVICE INDUSTRIES AND RECEIPTS,
BY KIND-OF-BUSINESS GROUPS: 1977 AND 1972

SELECTED KIND-OF-BUSINESS GROUPS	1977 ALL ESTABLISHMENTS (NUMBER)	1977 CURRENT DOL. RECEIPTS ($1,000)	1977 ***CONSTANT 1972 DOL. RECEIPTS ($1,000)	*% CHANGE '72 TO '77 CONSTANT DOLS.	1972 ALL ESTABLISHMENTS (NUMBER)	1972 RECEIPTS ($1,000)
TOTAL ESTABLISHMENTS	37	1,534	1,101	31.5	42	837
HOTELS, MOTELS, TRAILERING PARKS, CAMPS	4	(D)	(D)	(D)	3	130
PERSONAL SERVICES	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
BUSINESS SERVICES	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR, SERVICES, GARAGES	7	320	230	11.7	10	206
MISCELLANEOUS REPAIR SERVICES	5	(D)	(D)	(D)	5	49
AMUSEMENT & RECREATION SERVICES, INCLUDING MOTION PICTURES	5	(D)	(D)	(D)	3	(D)
DENTAL LABORATORIES	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
LEGAL SERVICES	2	(D)	(D)	(D)**	4	116
ENGINEERING, ARCHITECTURAL, SURVEYING SERVICES	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

... NOT APPLICABLE
NA NOT AVAILABLE
(D) WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSURE

*SALES, OCCUPANCY, ADMISSIONS & OTHER TAXES COLLECTED FROM CUSTOMERS INCLUDED IN 1972 BUT NOT IN 1977
**GROSS RECEIPTS FROM SERVICES PROVIDED, WHETHER OR NOT PAYMENT WAS RECEIVED IN 1972; IN 1977 PAYMENTS RECEIVED FOR SERVICE RENDERED, REGARDLESS OF WHEN SERVICES PROVIDED.
***1977 DOLLAR RECEIPTS DEFLATED USING IMPLICIT PRICE DEFLATOR FOR PERSONAL CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURES (INDEX, 1972 = 100)

SOURCE: U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, 1972 AND 1977 CENSUSES OF SERVICE INDUSTRIES, AREA SERIES, MONTANA

- TABLE 10.6 -
EMPLOYEES, PAYROLL, AND ESTABLISHMENTS, BY SELECTED INDUSTRY GROUPS: 1981

SELECTED INDUSTRY GROUP	*EMPLOYEES, WEEK INCLUDING: MARCH 12	PAYROLL FIRST QTR. ($1,000)	PAYROLL ANNUAL ($1,000)	ESTABLISHMENTS, BY EMPLOYMENT SIZE: TOTAL	**1-4	5-19	20-99	100 OR MORE
TOTAL	1,433	3,380	15,068	196	116	63	16	1
AGRICULTURAL SERVICES, FORESTRY, FISHERIES	(A)	(D)	(D)	1	1	0	0	0
MINING	217	967	4,171	16	9	4	3	0
CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	56	180	912	14	10	4	0	0
MANUFACTURING	(B)	(D)	(D)	2	0	2	0	0
TRANSPORTATION & OTHER PUBLIC UTILITIES	97	339	1,506	14	5	8	1	0
WHOLESALE TRADE	118	340	1,394	24	13	11	0	0
RETAIL TRADE	467	715	3,243	57	26	24	7	0
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	73	204	900	8	4	2	2	0
SERVICES	342	523	2,184	37	26	7	3	1
NONCLASSIFIABLE ESTABLISHMENTS	(B)	(D)	(D)	23	22	1	0	0

(D) FIGURES WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF OPERATIONS OF INDIVIDUAL ESTABLISHMENTS; OTHER ALPHABETICS INDICATE EMPLOYMENT-SIZE CLASS: (A)0-19, (B)20-99, (C)100-249, (E)250-499, (F)500-999, (G)1,000-2,499, (H)2,500-4,999
*EXCLUDES GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES, RAILROAD EMPLOYEES, SELF-EMPLOYED PERSONS, FARM WORKERS, AND DOMESTIC SERVICE WORKERS
**SIZE CLASS 1 TO 4 INCLUDES ESTABLISHMENTS HAVING PAYROLL BUT NO EMPLOYEES DURING MID-MARCH PAY PERIOD

SOURCE: U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS, COUNTY BUSINESS PATTERNS, 1981, MONTANA

- TABLE 10.7 -
BANKING AND MONETARY STATISTICS, INSURED COMMERCIAL BANKS: JUNE 1978 - 1982

ITEM		JUNE 30 - - 1982	1981	1980	1979	1978
*TOTAL ASSETS OF ALL BANKS	($1,000)	75,078	68,947	58,148	50,387	47,444
LOANS, NET VALUE	($1,000)	29,072	26,535	26,121	26,732	22,757
REAL ESTATE LOANS (PERCENT OF GROSS VALUE)		27.2	29.0	26.5	24.3	23.7
**AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION LOANS	do	32.0	30.8	37.3	44.6	43.8
**COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL LOANS	do	28.3	24.2	20.1	18.6	19.2
PERSONAL EXPENDITURE LOANS	do	12.1	15.6	15.5	12.1	12.9
ALL OTHER LOANS	do	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.5
ALL OTHER ASSETS	($1,000)	46,006	42,412	32,027	23,655	24,687
TOTAL LIABILITIES OF ALL BANKS	($1,000)	68,560	63,324	53,060	45,831	43,995
TOTAL DEPOSITS	($1,000)	66,999	62,007	52,489	45,042	42,828
DEMAND DEPOSITS	($1,000)	10,656	12,937	14,020	12,528	12,223
TIME AND SAVINGS DEPOSITS	($1,000)	56,343	49,070	38,469	32,514	30,605
ALL OTHER LIABILITIES	($1,000)	1,561	1,317	571	789	1,167
***EQUITY CAPITAL OF ALL BANKS	($1,000)	6,518	5,623	5,088	4,556	3,449

- TABLE 10.8 -
BANKS AND MONETARY RATIOS: JUNE 1982

ITEM	NUMBER OF BANKS	- VALUE - LOANS AS ****PERCENTAGE OF ASSETS	LOANS AS ****PERCENTAGE OF DEPOSITS	TIME DEPOSITS AS ****PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL DEPOSITS
MONTANA	165	55.2	65.4	79.7
SHERIDAN	2	38.7	43.4	84.1

*NET, AFTER DEDUCTION OF LOAN RESERVES AND UNEARNED INCOME
**EXCEPT LOANS SECURED BY REAL ESTATE
***THE SUM OF THE VALUES OF PREFERRED STOCK, COMMON STOCK, SURPLUS, UNDIVIDED PROFITS, AND RESERVES
****DERIVED FROM DATA IN TABLE 10.7

SOURCE: TABLE 10.7 BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM, REPORT OF CONDITION, AUTOMATED DATA SERIES, COMPUTER TAPE SUBSCRIPTION
TABLE 10.8 IBID.

APPENDIX A

Guide to Sources of Information (not listed in the tables).

- American Statistics Index. Congressional Information Services, Inc., 7101 Wisconsin Ave., Suite 900, Washington, D.C. 20014
  Annual, with monthly supplements. A comprehensive guide to data collected by the Federal Government.

- Bureau of the Census Catalog, 1981. U.S. Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. For sale by Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402.
  This catalog contains abstracts of products issued in 1980 and 1981, ordering information and forms, an index, and lists of sources of assistance. It also includes a special section which consolidates information about all products, regardless of the year of issue, from the 1977 Economic Censuses, the 1977 Census of Governments, and the 1978 Census of Agriculture.

- County and City Data Book, 1977. U.S. Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. For sale by Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402.
  Issued every five years. Provides data from the most recent censuses, and data from other government agencies and private sources. Provides statistical data for every county, and every city with a population of 25,000 or more, as well as metropolitan areas, states, regions, and census divisions.

- 1980 Census of Population and Housing. Users' Guide. Part A. Text. Part B. Glossary. U.S. Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. For sale by Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402.
  Provides an authoritative reference for the users of the 1980 data. The Guide deals with such topics as questions asked in the census, the data products available to users, and assistance offered by the Census Bureau and other organizations. It also helps readers understand the many terms they will encounter in working with the data.

- Montana Statistics. Bureau of Business and Economic Research, University of Montana, Missoula, Montana 59812.
  Annual supplement to Montana Business Quarterly magazine.

- Montana Statistics in Brief (monthly) and Montana Employment and Labor Force (quarterly). Research and Analysis Bureau, Montana Department of Labor and Industry.

- Editor & Publisher Market Guide. Editor & Publisher Co., Inc., 575 Lexington Ave., New York, N.Y. 10022.
  Annual publication presents copyrighted market survey data for states, leading counties, and leading cities.

- Survey of Buying Power. Sales & Marketing Management magazine, 633 Third Ave., New York, N.Y. 10164.
  Annual publication presents copyrighted data on population, retail sales, and effective buying income for states, counties, and selected cities.

- Montana in Maps 1974. Taylor, Robert L. and others. Endowment and Research Foundation at Montana State University, Bozeman, Montana 59717. For sale by Big Sky Books, Montana State University, Bozeman, Montana 59717.
  Maps showing the physical and cultural geography of Montana.

APPENDIX B

The following notes and definitions are limited to a few concepts related to the presentation of statistical data in the profile tables. Data users can find much additional information in the source documents listed at the bottom of each page of the profiles.

Agriculture Statistics: In Section 9, census data totals for 1978 at the state level are not directly comparable with totals for 1974, as they include data for farm operations represented on the mail list plus estimates from the direct enumeration sample for farms not represented on the mail list. County level data are generally comparable.

County Geography: Anaconda-Deer Lodge County and Butte-Silver Bow County except Walkerville are areas where census county division boundaries were changed and comparable 1970 data may not be available.

The portion of Yellowstone National Park in Montana is not included in any county and therefore is shown for census purposes as a county equivalent. However, in the 1980 census an incorrect tabulation placed 209 persons and 108 housing units in Yellowstone National Park instead of Park County. Since tabulations of detailed characteristics of these persons and households will not be corrected, a separate profile "Yellowstone National Park" is provided to help data users analyze Park County data.

Establishment: For census purposes an establishment is a single physical location where business is conducted or where services or industrial operations are performed. See also "Industry classifications".

Housing Unit: For census purposes a housing unit is a house, apartment, mobile home or trailer, group of rooms, or a single room occupied as a separate living quarter or, if vacant, intended for occupancy as a separate living quarter. "Separate living quarters" are those in which the occupants live and eat separately from any other persons in the building and which have direct access from the outside of the building or through a common hall. Housing unit inventory includes recreational vehicles, boats, caves, tents, railroad cars, etc. only if they are occupied as someone's usual place of residence. Vacant mobile homes are included provided they are intended for occupancy on the site where they stand.

Income (Imputed): The term as used in Table 9.7 represents the value of home consumption, gross rental value of farm dwellings, and receipts from non production farm-related sources and from custom work.

Index Numbers: An index number measures difference or change, relating one quantity of a specified kind to another quantity of the same kind, usually over periods of time. One kind of price index, the "Implicit Price Deflator for Personal Consumption Expenditures (PCE)", is used in Tables 6.5, 6.6, 10.2, and 10.5 with the assumption that price changes between the base year, 1972, and other years were the same in Montana as in the nation as a whole.

Industry Classifications: The Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) System classifies establishments by primary type of activity which is determined by their principal product of group of products produced or distributed, or by services rendered. See Tables 5.4, 5.8, 6.4, 10.2, 10.5, 10.6. Classifications are based on the 1972 edition of the Standard Industrial Classification Manual and its 1977 supplement. The SIC System facilitates the collection, tabulation, presentation, and analysis of data relating to business, industrial, and other types of establishments. It also promotes uniformity and comparability in the presentation of statistical data collected by various government agencies, trade associations, and private research organizations.

Labor Force: Persons 16 years old and over, employed or unemployed, constitute the civilian labor force. The civilian labor force and members of the Armed Forces constitute the labor force. "Not in labor force" refers to persons 16 years old and over consisting mainly of students, housewives, retired workers, seasonal workers in an "off" season who are not looking for work, inmates of institutions, disabled persons, and persons doing only incidental unpaid family work (fewer than 15 hours a week). Also included are the "discouraged workers" who do not have a job and have given up actively looking for work.

Mean/Median/Per Capita Averages: An arithmetic mean is the sum of the values of all items divided by the number of items. Sometimes called the simple average, the mean is used most frequently although it is not always the most meaningful descriptor. Because a mean is affected by very large or very small numbers, a median value may be more useful when considering small sets of numerical data.

Median is the value that divides the distribution (lowest to highest or vice versa) into two equal parts, one half the items falling below this value and one half exceeding this value. If there is an even number of items, the median is the average of the two middle items.

Per Capita is an average computed for every person in a specified population; the total value of an item divided by the number of persons in the specified population.

Net Migration: Estimates of net migration, or the difference between net change and natural increase, were derived using births and deaths in 1970 through 1979. See Tables 1.5, 2.4, and 2.7.

Poverty: Reference is to a set of money income cutoffs or "poverty threshold" against which income of families and specified persons is compared. The income cutoffs vary by family size, number of children, and age of the family householder or unrelated individual. Poverty thresholds are computed annually on a national basis only. No attempt has been made to adjust these thresholds for regional, state, or other local variations in the cost of living.

Residence: In the censuses each person was counted as an inhabitant of his usual place of residence, generally meaning the place where he lives and sleeps most of the time. This place is not necessarily the same as his legal residence, voting residence, or domicile. Members of the Armed forces living on military installations were counted as residents of the area in which the installation is located; college students as residents of the area in which they were living while attending college; inmates of an institution as residents of the area where the institution was located.

Sample Data: Data based on a sample (e.g., the long-form census questionnaire) are weighted or inflated to produce estimates of what a complete count would have found. The amount of chance error present between an inflated sample figure and a corresponding complete count is relatively small for large areas or large populations. However, for areas with small populations, sample data should be used with caution.

Social Security: For program definitions and history of the provisions of the Social Security Act, see the Social Security Bulletin, Annual Statistical Supplement, Social Security Administration, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Urban/Rural Population: "Urban" and "Rural" are type-of-area concepts. Urban population comprises all persons living in urbanized areas (UA's) and in places of 2,500 or more inhabitants outside UA's. Rural population consists of everyone else. Within small counties, measurements of urban and rural populations over time may be significantly affected by the increase or decrease of a place's population across the 2,500 population threshold.